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THE HONOR ROLL

Pupils Who Have Been Studious For The Month of October

MIDDLETOWN PUBLIC SCHOOL

A good industrious child makes glad the hearts of its parents. The habit of doing thoroughly whatever is attempted is one of the most valuable assets acquired in life. Many children form such habits in the home and in the school. Both parents and teachers can assist the child greatly in such an acquisition.

The school seeks to encourage this in three distinct ways:

1st. It emphasizes regular attendance and punctuality in the performance of all school duties.

2d. It seeks to encourage good behavior, obedience and respect for superiors, self-reliance, and the proper consideration of others. This is all summed up under the head of deportment.

3d. It endeavors to stimulate the child to his best efforts. The child cannot grow in strength of body and mind as he should if he does anything short of his very best.

In school a pupil is in competition with each member of his class. If he comes out among the first winners each month, diligent preparation of each day's work is necessary.

Parents may assist greatly by co-operating to the extent that they know their children are doing their work in a thorough manner. If your child is not doing as good work as he should, seek to discover the cause. If you can remove the cause do so. If it is beyond you, feel free to talk it over with the principal, and the teacher in charge.

The honor roll printed below is composed of those pupils who have won distinction during the month of October for their good conduct, regularity of attendance, and the thoroughness with which they have done their work. The pupils whose names appear together with their parents are to be congratulated for the splendid work accomplished.

Those who have tried and failed are commended for their efforts. Do not be discouraged, but try again. A new race is on and you have a chance to win.

The following pupils of the Middletown Public School are on the honor roll for the month of October:

12th grade—Georgia Wiggins, Clara Unruh, Anna Bingner, Evelyn Price, Pearl Wells.

11th grade—Marie Records, Walter Beaton, Caroline Fournace, Edna Reynolds, Gladys Gabriel, Edward Hart, Margaret Clark, John Pool.

10th grade—Elizabeth Clayton, Esther Shallerross, Dorothy Calk, Mildred Garrett, Esther Hutcheson, Helen Kates, Dorothy Ratledge.

9th grade—Esther Gabriel, Virginia Johnson, Gladys Carey, Katherine Conley, Virginia Hopkins, Etta Skeggs.

8th grade—Helen Fournace, Margaret Shallerross, Charlotte Donaghy, Helen Moore, Eunice Horey, Bertha Chance, Frances Harris, Catherine Hopkins, Kathryn Davis, Elizabeth Hufnal, Evelyn Brown, Frances Anderson, Dorothy Savin, Mary Alfre, John Voshell, Fred Poole, William Taylor.

7th grade—Catherine Beaton, Mabel Shahan, Julia Atwell, Gladys Mayon, Virginia Brady, James Thornton, Robert Gabriel, Julian King, Reynolds Money, Joseph Beaton, Lewis Stewart, Winfield Betts, Harold Otwell.

6th grade—Eben Denny, Jeffrey Newsome, Cessie Dockety, Arthur Williams, Margaret Crothers, Helen Cleaver, Margaret Fitzgerald, Mabel Fournace, Blanche Messick, Helen Bryan, Myrtle Council, Oscar Brynes, Winford Wagner.

5th grade—Anna Mary Beaton, Catherine Caulk, Dorothy Steele, Margaret Denny, Roland Heidner, Paul Ohi, Frank Otwell.

4th grade—William Alfre, Dorothy Batten, Elizabeth Burge, Fannie Bradley, Henry Brady, Alice Carey, Helen Foard, Grace Harris, Marion Heldmyer, Hazel Johnson, Lillian Morehead, Erma Otwell, Katie Reed, Lura Reed, Minnie Sweetman, Margaret Thornton, Virginia Truit.

3d grade—Elizabeth Isaacs, Katharine Mullen, George Records, Frances Fisher, Earl Wilson, Mary Thornton, John Piser, Jr., Michael Cole, Robert Cochran, Frances Ellison, Elbert Golder, Adelaide Green, Margaret Tyler, Elizabeth Swain, Ethel Steele, Helen Beck, Madeline Smith, Clarence Crossan, James Jump, Malcolm Cochran, Grace Morris, Elton J. Seph, Eleonora Montes de Oca, Dorothy Hufnal, Helen Tush, Lucy Green, Marion Webb, Alvan Batten, Leoti Wilson, George Lindale.

2d grade—Ruth Isaacs, Iola Thornton, Dorothy Todd, Stephen Cole, Albert Crompton, Holton Evans, Forest Gabriel, Thelma Speer, Henrietta Sartin, Ernest Baker, Evans Brown, Warren Combs, Richard Green, Augustine Savin, Joseph Stackley, Eugene Thornton, Ernest Truit.

1st grade—Pauline Dreka, Anne Bragdon, Mary Shallerross, Alice Council, Emma Bryan, Clara Mullen, Alice Smith, Elizabeth Pool, Helen Reed, Aileen Schrader, Fred Shallerross, John Daubert, Bradford Poore, William Thomas, William Leager, Carroll Wilson, James Piser, Charles Crompton, George Tibbitt, Wilmer Williams, William Shallerross.

Trespassing and Gunning Notices printed and now ready for sale at the Transcript Office.

ST. ANNE'S CHURCH NOTES

EPISCOPAL

Sunday, November 13th, 1921. The 25th Sunday after Trinity.

10.30. Morning Prayer and Sermon. 11.45. Sunday School.

7.30. Evening prayer and sermon. Meetings: The Parish Guild will meet on Thursday afternoon at two o'clock, at the residence of Miss Mary L. Price, West Main Street.

PROGRAM OF THE SYNOD

The following is a list of some of the principal meetings of the Synod of the Province of Washington, which meets in Wilmington, November 15th, 16th, and 17th.

RECEPTION AT BISHOPSTEAD

A reception will be given all members of the Synod, the Diocesan Clergy and their wives, by the Church Club of the Diocese and Bishop Cook, at Bishopstead, on Monday evening, November 14th, from eight until eleven o'clock.

Tuesday, Nov. 15th. Opening session, Holy Communion at 10 A. M., Trinity Church (Del. Ave., and Adams St.) The Rt. Rev. Thomas F. Gailor, celebrant.

11.30 A. M., address of welcome by Bishop Cook. Luncheon, daily, at Hotel duPont, at one o'clock.

Missionary Mass meeting, St. John's Church, (Concord Ave., and Market St.). The Bishop Coadjutor of So. Va., presiding, with an address by Rev. S. Harrington Littell, Hankow, China.

Wednesday, Nov. 16th, 2.30. Mass Meeting—Joint-session, of Synod and Women's section, at Trinity Parish House.

8 P. M., Mass meeting, at Immanuel Church 17th, and Riverview Ave., with various addresses.

Thursday, Nov. 17th, 2.30 P. M., Mass meeting of Synod and Women's section. Reports will be made by Women's Auxiliary Girls Friendly Society, Daughters of the King, etc.

Thursday, 8 P. M., Social service, Mass meeting, at St. Andrew's Church, (8th and Shipley Sts.). The Bishop of Washington, presiding, with an address by Rev. Dr. C. G. Twombly, of Lancaster, "The Church Militant's New Task."

The Headquarters for the Women's Organizations will be at St. Andrew's Parish House, (8th and Shipley St.). It is especially important that every one throughout the Diocese try to attend some of the Mass Meetings. The session of the Synod and of the various Women's Organizations are open to everyone.

There will be sixteen Bishops, four Clergymen, and four laymen in attendance at the Synod from thirteen Dioceses. This is by far the largest gathering of Churchmen and Churchwomen ever assembled in the Diocese of Delaware. We hope a goodly number of St. Anne's parishioners will try to attend some of these meetings.

This month we will have to make the Every-member Canvas for the National-wide Campaign, and Sunday, November 20th, evening service is set for a 100% attendance to hear the reports of the Canvassers. Please bear this in mind and pledge yourself to be present.

FOREST CHURCH NOTES

Sunday, November 13th, 1921.

10.30 A. M. Morning service. Sermon by the Pastor.

11.45 A. M. Sunday School.

7.30 P. M. Evening service. Sermon by the Pastor.

Mid-week service, Wednesday, 7.30 P. M.

Boy Scout meeting, Friday, 7 P. M. America has arrived at the crossroads of destiny. Representatives of all the great nations are meeting in Washington at the request and invitation of the United States Government.

America, in calling this conference, has assumed a position of leadership. The eyes of the world are looking towards America to behold the light that shall enable the nations of earth to walk in the ways of peace. Humanity awaits the result of the conference with bated breath. America's move will affect untold millions in every part of the world. Shall she begin her leadership in the tear of God, or of man? Shall she trust in chivalry, or look to the eternal God for her refuge? Shall she proceed to act on the principles of the teachings of Christ, or on the basis of selfish diplomacy? These questions are of vital importance to all who love God, their country, and their fellowmen. America's Christianity is to be put to the acid test of practicality. America will either blaze the upward trail to the heavenly heights of a world at peace, or she shall, with her eyes on the earth, lead downward into the valley of war and death. Let all Christians pray, that America may look to God for guidance, and that her leadership may be God-like and Godward. "Trust in him at all times; ye people, pour out your heart before him; God is a refuge for us." Psalm 62:2.

Pauline Frederick in "The Roads of Destiny," will be the attraction at the movies Thursday evening.

Queen Esther Meeting

The November meeting of the Queen Esther Circle will be held at the home of Miss Marian Pinder, next Tuesday evening.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Many Condensed News Items of the Past Week

IN THIS AND NEARBY POINTS

The moon will be full next Tuesday, November 15.

Guns are getting ready for the opening of the gunning season next week and game is reported plentiful.

More than 80 couples attended the dance given in the University of Delaware "Commons" by the Derelict Fraternity.

The November meeting of the Middletown Parent-Teacher Association will be held at the school building on Friday afternoon, the 18th, at 3 o'clock.

The Third and Fourth Year classes of Cecilton Public School will give an entertainment in the Mechanics' Hall on Thursday, November 17th. Admission, 35 and 25 cents.

Owing to the over-crowded condition of the St. Georges public school, the Delaware Trust Co. hall will be used to accommodate a number of the pupils with Miss Wright as teacher.

Lower crop and food production and higher living costs are predicted by Professor George L. Shuster, agronomist of the University of Delaware Agricultural Experiment Station at Newark.

Mr. Thomas Dixon, of Earleville, Md., lost a cow last week in a somewhat peculiar manner. She was found dead, having apparently caught her foot in some obstruction and fallen with such force as to break her neck.

Wholesale thefts of valuable hunting dogs in the neighborhood of Townsend, are being reported. Trained bird dogs are said to be more eagerly sought by hunters than ever before. Robert Austin, a farmer, had a dog stolen by some hunters, who found the canine passing along the road and carried it away in their car.

List of letters remaining unclaimed in the Post Office for week ending Nov. 3d, 1921: Catharine Brooks, Mrs. Elizabeth Emson, Mrs. Mary Hamilton, Mrs. Elsie Hutchison, Miss Blanche Jones, Miss Mary Johnson, Mrs. Ender Roberson, Mrs. Mamie Robson, Mrs. Octavia Richardson, Messrs. Jerome Adams, Samuel Burrelle, Tom Banks, Jacob Chakman, William H. Henelle, John W. Hill, Fred Jonson, Wilmer Smith and Joseph Washington.

BETHESDA CHURCH NOTES

Sunday, November 13th, 1921.

9.30 A. M. The Brotherhood will be in charge of Brother George Wilson.

10.30 A. M. Morning worship with sermon by the Pastor.

11.45 A. M. Sunday School. We miss any member that is not present.

7.00 P. M. Meeting of the Junior League.

7.30 P. M. Evening worship with sermon by the Pastor. Good music at each of these services. Come and worship with us and enjoy these services.

Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

No Christian can afford to miss the hour of prayer service, for it means a loss of capital as well as interest, if he does. Besides, the other membership, the church and pastor need your support at the mid-week service.

The Ladies Mite Society of Bethesda M. E. Church will hold a "Bake" on Saturday, November 19. The place will be announced later.

OBITUARY

Esther Eaton

Friends of Miss Esther Eaton, aged 17 years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Eaton, of Port Penn, were shocked to learn of her death, shortly after noon Sunday.

Miss Eaton, who was a popular young woman, was a member of the 1922 class of the Delaware City high school and had a host of friends at that place. She was first taken ill while attending school last Monday, and was forced to return home. Her condition soon became critical and Dr. Springer, of Wilmington, was called into a consultation with Dr. Carrow, the attending physician, but she continued to grow worse and death resulted.

Funeral services took place from her late home, Wednesday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock, Rev. William J. Little officiating. Interment in Hickory Grove cemetery.

Thieves Got 60 Fowls

Thieves visited the henry of Mr. Fred Alfre, on the "McIntyre" farm near Warwick, one night recently and carried away about 60 of Mrs. Alfre's fine fowls. They tore several boards off the hen house in order to gain an entrance. It is hoped that the guilty parties may be apprehended and sent to jail.

A very good special in Women's Shoes. Sizes 3 1-2 to 6. \$3.15. Reg. \$4.00 number with low heel in dark tan kid.

CLEAVER & PLEASANTON.

"PERFECT PACKAGE MONTH"

The American Railway Association, working with The American Railway Express Co., are conducting a National-wide Campaign to stimulate further interest in good packing of shipments by freight and express.

November has been designated as "Perfect Package Month" and all shipments tendered to railroad and express carriers during this month will be closely inspected as to containers, packing and marks, and special reports will be prepared covering all exceptions.

These reports will be promptly sent to shippers interested, for their guidance in the proper preparation of future shipments. Copies of these reports will be forwarded to the American Railway Association, Chicago, or the American Railway Express Co., New York, as the case may be, where they will be summarized and final reports prepared showing the total number of exceptions recorded and the relation the number bears to the total number of shipments forwarded.

As the co-operation of the shipping public is essential to the success of this Campaign, the Chambers of Commerce, or other civic bodies of the various cities and towns throughout the country have been requested to assist the carriers in interesting shippers in the proper preparation of their shipments.

Much good should result from a Campaign of this kind, both to the Transportation Companies and to the shippers as it will, no doubt, accomplish much in the way of eliminating loss and damage claims against the carriers and minimize delays to shipments and complaints of shippers.

Tendered Variety Shower

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Thompson, of near Summit Bridge, were given a surprise variety shower at her parents' home, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jewell, on Tuesday night. They received many pretty and useful gifts consisting of furniture, cut glass, money, linen, aluminum and agate ware, fancy pillows, and many other pretty things. Music and games were indulged in, and at a late hour refreshments were served by Mrs. Thompson's Sunday School class.

Those present were: A. P. Jones and wife, of Wilmington; Mrs. John Montgomery and Mrs. James Hallman, of New Castle; Austin Harvey and wife, Ben Pleasanton and wife, Harry Cavenier and wife, Frank Kronmeyer and wife, Fred Bramble and wife, of Elkton, Md.; J. W. Kane and wife, Howard Crossland and wife, Mitchell Golt and wife, Millard Golt and wife, E. K. Marker and wife, Frank Blackburn, Warren Voshell, J. A. Starplless and wife, Mrs. Eliza Bender, Mrs. Ollie Clark, Mrs. Susie Roberts, Mrs. William Dugan; Misses Maude Harvey, May, Mable and Anna Marker, Helen Blackburn, Margaret Clark, Addie, Helen and Ida Dugan, Mary Golt, Helen Kronmeyer, Katherine Kane, Messrs. Fred Bramble, Jr., Archie and Burke Bramble, Walter Kronmeyer, Walter Clark and Paul Hallman.

John Riggins

John Riggins, aged 72 years, one of the most highly respected colored men of this community, died at the Delaware Hospital, Wilmington, Wednesday morning. For the past 47 years John had been a faithful employee of the late Purnal J. Lynch and his daughters, near Mt. Pleasant, and during this time had saved the snug sum of \$5,000, which he willed to his two sisters.

Funeral services were held in the colored M. E. Church of this town, Friday, and the remains taken to his former home in lower Delaware, where interment was made.

Memorial Service

The American Legion, of Middletown, in conjunction with the people of Odessa, dedicated the new State Highway bridge, in honor of Walter Wiest, on Nov. 11th, Armistice Day, at three o'clock. Rev. J. W. H. Sumwalt, of Wilmington, delivered the address. Rev. Howard Davis, of Lewes, also spoke.

Men's Short Gum Boots. Black only. Good Quality. \$3.00 pair.

CLEAVER & PLEASANTON.

Will Hold Poultry Supper

The Ladies' Aid of Summit Bridge M. E. Church will hold a Poultry and Oyster supper in the Sunday School room, joining the church, Thursday, November 17th, from 4 to 9 o'clock, with chicken salad, ice cream, cake and fancy articles for sale. Come and buy your Christmas presents. Supper 60c, not including salad.

Honoring Our Dead Heroes

Mrs. C. A. Hoffecker, Mrs. D. W. Stevens, Mrs. John C. Green and Miss Bernice D. Metten paid their respects to our honored soldiers dead by tastefully draping the Memorial Monument with the National colors and burying its base in a profusion of multi-colored chrysanthemums, zinnias and scarlet sage. The ladies by their thoughtful patriotism have earned the thanks of the whole community.

Grier—Allen Wedding

Mr. William B. Grier and Miss Anna E. Allen, both of Townsend, were quietly married at the M. E. Parsonage, by Rev. V. P. Northrup, Wednesday evening, at 8.30 o'clock.

FRIENDS & VISITORS

Personal Items About People You See and Know

THOSE THAT COME AND GO

Mrs. D. W. Stevens spent Wednesday in Wilmington.

Mrs. A. K. Hopkins was in Wilmington Wednesday.

Mrs. J. Carson Segelken spent Wednesday in Philadelphia.

Mrs. E. M. Shallerross was a Wilmington visitor Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Ennis and little son spent Sunday with relatives, near Kenton.

Mrs. J. E. Walls entertained her sister, Mrs. Eliza Ryan, of Georgetown, recently.

Mr. Charles Kelly, of Wilmington, spent Sunday with his aunt, Miss Bessie Anderson.

Mrs. James Redgrave and daughter, Mrs. Joseph Gibbs spent Wednesday in Wilmington.

Miss Mary Records, of Letitz, Pa., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Records.

Miss Eliza P. Cochran, of Elwyn, Pa., spent last week with her aunt, Mrs. E. C. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Kates and family were Sunday guests of relatives at Porches Mills, N. J.

Mrs. S. E. Lewis, of Sea Bright, N. J., has been the guest of Mrs. James Redgrave this week.

Miss Katherine Droll entertained Miss Ollie Bromall and friend, of Wilmington, on Sunday.

Mrs. Norman P. Crouch, of Wilmington, spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Joseph C. Jolls.

Mr. B. C. Evans, of Chicago, Ill., was a guest of Mr. Joseph Biggs, of family part of last week.

Mrs. Henry Hardcastle, of Pittsburgh, Pa., visited her aunt, Miss Margaret P. Beaton, last week.

Mr. Allee Hall left on Thursday for Baltimore, Md., where he has accepted a position in a printing establishment.

Miss Marie T. Lockwood attended the Child Hygiene Convention, which was held at New Haven, Conn., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis F. Millman and daughters, of Woodside, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Carson Segelken.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Stewart, of Chester, Pa., spent Sunday with her brother, Mr. D. W. Stevens and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Lockwood, of Washington, D. C., spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Nellie C. Lockwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen E. Evans and son, of Marcus Hook, Pa., were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Whitlock, over the week-end.

Mrs. M. C. Otwell, of Laurel, and Mr. and Mrs. George Milligan, of Seaford, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Lewis and other relatives in town this week.

The many friends of Miss Catherine Reed who was operated on at the Homeopathic Hospital, Wilmington, for appendicitis several weeks ago, will be glad to learn that she is recovering rapidly, and has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. James Z. Walton and children, Mildred, Thelma and James, Jr., Mr. William H. Walton, of Burlington, N. J., motored down and spent the week-end with Mrs. Anna Reynolds, of near Clayton. Mrs. Walton and children will remain for a longer visit with her mother, Mrs. E. Heverin, near Clayton.

Townsend Parent-Teacher Meeting

The Townsend Parent-Teachers Association met Friday evening. A statement of the playground fund and equipment provided by the association during the past year was made by Miss Rothwell, the principal. Miss Ratledge told of the hot lunch system installed by her. The Sewing Club for Girls was discussed and Mrs. Weldon was made chairman of a committee to arrange for providing equipment for the club. The State work was briefly reviewed by the president and the National work by Mrs. Theodore Ferguson, of Blackbird. Walter Lee gave a most interesting glimpse of present-day school work by describing the cotton industry, illustrated by a cotton plant; and entertainment was provided by the Literary Society of the 7th and 8th grades in the form of a Halloween play. Sixty-three new members were reported.

Missionary Meeting

The Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Societies of Bethesda M. E. Church were entertained at their November meeting, at the home of Mrs. D. R. Rees near town, Monday evening. Last part of the time was devoted to a business meeting, after which a very interesting literary entertainment was given, with Mrs. W. A. Wise, chairman. Refreshments were served.

Men's Corduroy Pants of best material. We guarantee these pants against ripping or splitting down cord. Remain smooth and soft after being wet.

CLEAVER & PLEASANTON.

FARM BUREAU MEETING

The Executive Committee of the New Castle County Farm Bureau met Saturday, November 5, in the Security Trust Building, Wilmington, in its November meeting. President Frank F. Yearsley of Marshallton presided.

Practically the full membership of the Committee was present and entered into an animated discussion of the subjects brought before them. The members of the Committee feel the vastness of the responsibility entrusted in them by the increasing membership of the organization.

President Yearsley opened the meeting by stating that the time for the annual meeting of the County Farm Bureau was approaching and he should like to be advised relative to its conduct. Thursday, December 8th, was set for the date, and although the place was left to the committee on general plans, the feeling was that Newport would be desirable. It is possible the girls' baking clubs of the County will serve lunch. R. O. Bausman, County Agent, was instructed to secure as the main speaker, if possible, Mr. John G. Brown, President of the Indiana Federation of Agricultural Associations.

The following committees were appointed: Committee on general plans—C. P. Dickey of Stanton and Lee Hoffecker of Bear; Program of Work Committee—Frank F. Yearsley of Marshallton, J. D. Reynolds of Middletown, P. E. Pleasanton of Odessa, and R. O. Bausman of Newark. The nominating committee will be appointed later.

In order that more farmers may be reached it was carried that the county corn show should be supplanted by two district shows. The southern show will be held at either Middletown or Townsend. P. E. Pleasanton, J. D. Reynolds, and R. O. Bausman were appointed a committee in charge. The northern show will be held at Hockessin with the following committee in charge: Paul Mitchell, Robert Walker, Warren Buckingham, Fred Trimble, Roswell Shaffer, and Wilson Pierson, all of Hockessin.

J. I. Dayett of Cooch, and J. D. Reynolds of Middletown were appointed a committee to confer with the Secretary of the State Holstein Association to determine the feasibility of holding a consignment sale of quality pure bred Holstein cattle (females) during the late winter. The committee is also in charge of a pure bred bull consignment sale it is thought policy to hold it.

ODESSA HONOR ROLL

The following pupils of Odessa School are on the Honor Roll for the month of October:

8th grade—Eva Shetzler, Joseph Armstrong, Martin Ginn, Preston Morris, Frank Roemer, Erwin Spicer, Carl Webb.

7th grade—Agnes Ennis, Carlton Price, Ethel Reese, Donald Quigley, 6th grade—Marguerite Harris, Lillian Smith, Earl Baker, Harry Gibbs, Harry Morgan, John Wallace, Charles Weist.

5th grade—Elizabeth Heller, Mary Webb, Elizabeth Phillips, Margaret Baker, John Bingner, Elizabeth Diehl, Edna Thornton, Catherine Bender, Ruth Rawley.

4th grade—Anna Cleaver, Edna Atwell, Mary Bingner, Elmer Croft, William Smith, Robert Craig, Roy Rawley, Walter Spicer, Norman Reynolds, John Sparks, Austin Ginn, Harvey Carey.

3d grade—Francis Harris, Mary Morgan, Anna Duhamel, Anna May Bingner, Howard Douglas, Andrew Wiest, John Foraker, Merritt Moore.

2d grade—Virginia Wallace, John Ralph Reese, Charles Stapleford, Frank Day Thornton.

1st grade—Edward Draper Armstrong, Jack Cleaver, Diehl, Charles Cyrus Gears, Joseph Thomas Harris, Harry Peckard, Hattie May Smith, Henrietta Wilson, Gladys Wallace, Mary Atwell, Samuel Tibbitt.

See "The Sea Wolf" at the movies next Wednesday evening.

The New Rapid Transit Line

The friends of this auto-bus enterprise that is proving such a fine public convenience, will be glad to hear that it is prospering, its traffic growing to such an extent that the young managers will be forced some of these days to increase the number and size of their buses.

They made the trip recently to Wilmington in 70 minutes and the vehicle on its return was sardine packed with passengers.

The tar treatment has made the road much smoother and the ride consequently much more pleasant for the travelers. All wishing a ride at once cheap and prompt should patronize the Delaware Rapid Transit Auto-Bus Line.

William S. Hart in "O'Malley of the Mounted," at the Opera House Tuesday evening.

Middletown Loses Soccer Game

The Middletown High School Soccer team lost to the strong duPont team by the score of 3-1 on Tuesday.

The game was full of thrills, and both sides did some skilful playing. While the whole team played a good game, Beaton, Roberts and Money starred for Middletown High.

HARRINGTON VS. MIDDLETOWN. Monday next, November 14th, Middletown High will meet the Harrington High Soccer team on the home grounds. A good game is expected as the down state team is fast.

DELA. GETS \$365,624

Federal Farm Bureau Outlines Method of Dividing

OUR ALLOTMENT IS INCREASED

Requirements as to how each state shall select its federal aid roads, constitute the principal new feature of the federal highway act, of which enactment has just been completed, according to an analysis

PROGRAMME BLOCKED BY ULSTER PREMIER

Irish Peace Negotiations Again On Verge of Break

CABINET'S FATE IN BALANCE

Premiers in Conference—Reports Declared They Have Made No Progress Toward An Agreement.

London.—Storm clouds in the form of a threatened hiatus in the Irish peace negotiations, are looming on the British political horizon, and whether they break depends upon the attitude Ulster adopts toward the parleys now going on between representatives of the Sinn Féin and the government. This is the almost unanimous opinion of the Sunday newspapers, the editorial writers of which devoted columns in attempts to forecast the result.

Sir James Craig, the Ulster Premier, held two lengthy conferences with Prime Minister Lloyd George at the latter's request, but the Premiers are unofficially reported to have made no advance toward an accommodation of their respective views.

The conferences are supposed to have dealt with the proposal to enlarge the constitution and powers of the Council of Ireland, delimitation of the frontier between the North and South, protection of minorities and other possible bases for settlement which have been tentatively agreed upon by the British and Sinn Féin representatives.

"Not since the end of 1916," says the Sunday Times, has the political situation been so interesting, so critical, so full of hope and at the same time so uncertain and likely to fly off on unexpected tangents.

"We may be on the point of settling the Irish problem. On the other hand, disappointment, which is still possible, would not only leave Ireland, in a worse state than before, but would have far-reaching effects on our own domestic politics—split the Unionist party and either take Premier Lloyd George into temporary retirement or put him at the head of a new coalition."

The News of the World, which is credited with enjoying especial favor in Downing street, says the Irish Conference is at the cross roads, and that, should Mr. Lloyd George be unable to bring about a settlement "on cards"—that is, on the basis of the terms already laid down—he may resign. The newspaper says it understands that the Premier has canceled his arrangements for a week-end sojourn at Chequer's Court, his country estate, so as to confer with Cabinet members "concerning a situation of deepening gravity."

The Weekly Dispatch also asks whether Ulster will take an attitude which will permit peace in Ireland. It heralds as two events "of the highest interest" the re-entry into the political arena of A. Bonar Law and a meeting, hitherto unmentioned in the press, of Mr. Law, Viscount Birkhead and Sir George Lounger, Tory party manager.

"We have thus," says the newspaper, "a full dress conference of the former leader, prospective leader and manager of the Conservative party."

BAZY KILLED IN MOTHER'S LAP

Ten-Month-Old Girl Shot By Young Uncle.

Greenwich, Conn.—Ten-month-old Hazel N. Cumming, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Cumming, was killed when a small rifle held by her 14-year-old uncle, Malcolm Wilson, was accidentally discharged.

Hazel was sitting on her mother's lap when Malcolm, who had been shooting rats in the cellar, strode into the room. He sat in a chair, the rifle across his knees.

There was a report. The bullet entered the baby's left ear and came out of her forehead. She died 10 minutes later in the Greenwich Hospital. The coroner pronounced the shooting accidental.

TEXAS STRIKE AT END

Men On I. And G. N. Will Return To Work November 25.

Houston.—The strike controversy on the International and Great Northern Railroad virtually was ended Saturday with the acceptance by both railroad and brotherhood representatives of the decree of Federal Judge J. C. Hutcheson, setting November 25 as the date for the return to work of 600 striking trainmen. The receiver for the road announced that he would not accept the four chairmen of the trainmen on the carrier for further work.

\$30,000 IN GEMS STOLEN

St. Paul Jewelry Store Robbed In Daylight.

St. Paul, Minn.—Diamonds valued at \$30,000 were obtained by two men who robbed the store of A. I. Shapira & Sons in the center of the downtown quarters.

NECK BROKEN AT FOOTBALL

Buffalo Student Will Die If He Sneezes, Surgeons Say.

Buffalo.—His neck broken, Maurice Daley, end on the Sub-Park High School football team, lies immovable in the Sisters' Hospital. Surgeons say that if he sneezes he will die. Daley was hurt while attempting to break up a wide end run. Rushed to the hospital, Daley was still unconscious when Dr. Hanley and Burke attempted to set the dislocated vertebrae.

TAX REVISION BILL PASSED

Luxury and Travel Taxes Repealed By Revision

MEASURE TO CONFERENCE

Levy On Patent Medicines, Toilet Articles, Sporting Goods, Ice Cream And Chewing Gum —Others Reduced.

Washington.—Outstanding features of the Tax Revision bill as passed by the Senate provide for repeal of the excess profits tax and all of the transportation taxes next January 1 and a reduction of the surtax all along the line, with the maximum rate reduced from 65 per cent. to 50 per cent.

Besides these changes the bill would repeal taxes on:

Parcel post packages. Proprietary medicines, toilet soaps and toilet soap powders, tooth pastes, tooth and mouth washes, toilet powders and petroleum jellies (stamp taxes). Pianos and other musical instruments.

Tax Off Of Luxuries.

Umbrellas, parasols, sunshades, pictures, frames and various articles of wearing apparel costing in excess of certain amounts (so-called luxury taxes).

Insurance premiums. Articles made of fur. Moving-picture films. Ice-cream. Chewing gum.

Sporting goods, including billiard balls and tables, pool tables and dice. Admissions where the cost does not exceed 10 cents.

Pleasure boats and canoes costing less than \$100. Thermos and thermostatic bottles and jugs.

Portable electric fans. Bonds of indemnity and surety (stamp taxes).

Many Taxes Reduced.

Taxes proposed to be reduced include those on:

Individual incomes of \$5,000 or less through increased exemptions of \$500 to heads of families and \$200 for each dependent.

Candy from 5 per cent. to 3 per cent. Works of art from 10 per cent. to 5 per cent.

Capital stock issues having a par value of less than \$100 a share (stamp taxes).

Cereal beverages from 15 per cent. of the sale price to 2 cents a gallon. Unfermented fruit juices from 10 per cent. of the sale price to 2 cents a gallon.

Carbonated beverages from 10 per cent. of the sale price to 2 cents a gallon, plus 5 cents a gallon on the syrups used in their manufacture.

Some To Be Increased.

Taxes proposed to be increased include those on:

Corporation income from 10 per cent. to 15 per cent.

Corporations through the repeal of the \$2,000 normal exemption on those having a capital stock in excess of \$25,000.

Estate taxes where the total sum exceeds \$10,000,000.

Medicinal beer, wine (except champagne and whiskey).

Alcohol, when diverted unlawfully for beverage purposes, from \$2.20 a gallon to \$6.40 a gallon.

Taxes proposed to be changed in form include:

Stamp levies on perfumes, essences, toilet waters, extracts, hair oils, etc., to manufacturers' levies at 4 per cent.

Retail taxes on fountain drinks to manufacturers' levies of 7½ cents a gallon on finished fountain syrups for such drinks.

Shifted To Manufacturer.

Retail luxury taxes on carpets, rugs, trunks, valises, traveling bags, suitcases, hat boxes, fitted toilet cases, purses, pocketbooks, shopping and handbags, portable lighting fixtures, including lamps of all kinds and lamp shades, and fans costing in excess of certain amounts, to manufacturers' taxes of 5 per cent.

New taxes proposed to be imposed include:

Levies on gifts of property by any person at rates ranging from 1 per cent. on the amount between \$20,000 and \$50,000 to 25 per cent. on \$10,000,000 or more.

Manufacturers' tax of 3 per cent. on carbonic acid gas to make up part of the revenue lost in repealing the soda water taxes.

ARBuckle TRIAL POSTPONED.

Court Announces Hearing Will Positively Begin Next Monday.

San Francisco.—The trial of Roscoe C. Arbuckle for manslaughter, growing out of the death of Miss Virginia Rappé, was continued Monday until November 14 by consent of both sides. The court announced that the trial positively would begin the 14th. Arbuckle was in court, accompanied by his wife. There was no crowd present, but the Woman's Vigilant Committee had representatives on hand, as in the preliminary hearing.

TO FERRET OUT DRAFT DODGERS.

New York.—A squad of 10 former service men, serving as special deputy United States Marshals, will begin work in the metropolitan district this week, ferreting out draft evaders. This announcement was made by United States Attorney William Hayward.

War-time commander of the Three Hundred and Sixty-ninth Infantry. Former soldiers are best qualified for the work of detecting actual slackers and evaders, he said.

SOME ELECTION RESULTS

E. Lee Trinkle, Democrat, was elected Governor of Virginia, by a plurality in excess of 50,000 over Col. Henry W. Anderson, Republican.

Ohio adopts Soldiers' Bonus Amendment by 3-to-1 vote.

Louisville, Ky., elected a Republican Mayor.

Kentucky returns to Democratic column, although Republicans elect Mayor in Louisville.

Anti-Prohibitionist was elected Mayor of Buffalo.

Fred Kohler, Independent, defeats both Democratic and Republican candidates for Mayor of Cleveland.

Indianapolis elects Samuel L. Shank, Republican, Mayor.

Mayor Couzens re-elected in Detroit, and proposal to oust private-owned street car lines carried.

Mayor John F. Hylan, Democrat, was re-elected by the largest plurality ever given a Mayorality candidate in this city.

10 DEAD AND 11 WOUNDED

Breathitt County Contributes Seven Fatalities As Result Of Two Affrays.

Louisville, Ky.—Known casualties in Kentucky's election stand at 10 dead and 7 wounded.

Nine men were killed in two affrays in Breathitt county; a man and a woman were wounded in Louisville, and one man was killed and two others seriously wounded in Estill county.

K. K. Spencer, a Democratic election clerk, was killed at Simpson precinct on Frozen creek, in Breathitt county. His murderer has not been captured.

The first of the killings occurred Monday night in Breathitt county when Sylvester Howard, Jr., was killed by Earl Pitts.

The second affray in Breathitt county occurred Tuesday when Cleveland Combs is said to have made efforts to serve as election clerk in place of a man previously appointed. Combs, his brother Leslie, Ephern and George Allen and John Roberts, and George McIntosh were killed outright and five other persons were wounded, two of them, Asbury Combs and Thomas Centers, dying later. Four of the dead men were Democrats and four of the wounded Republicans.

In Louisville, Patrolman Bennett Gardner in a quarrel with Harry Ross fired several shots. One shot struck and seriously wounded Ross and another struck Mrs. Lillian Collins, aged 64.

The fourth affray was in Estill county where P. F. Wolfenbarger, Republican candidate for sheriff, was seriously wounded by Lloyd Winkler. Winkler was shot and killed by Wolfenbarger's son, Jeff. Phant Richardson, a bystander, was wounded.

WILL HIKE 9,000 MILES.

Jaunt Will Be Made To Punta Arenas, In South America.

Ottawa, Ont.—P. J. F. Martin MacDonald, who has an international reputation as a long-distance hiker, will leave here Friday morning on a jaunt of 9,000 miles—to Punta-Arenas, on the southern tip of South America.

The hike is the upshot of a wager between MacDonald and W. R. Howard, president of the Argentina Racing Company. According to its terms, the ambitious pedestrian will be permitted to carry only a sporting rifle for self protection, although his route lies through lands infested with savage natives.

BOOTLEG DRINK DANGEROUS.

Less Than 2 Per Cent. Found Pure By "Dry" Unit Chemists.

Washington.—Prohibition Commissioner Haynes, in a statement, warned the public against the dangers of drinking "bootleg" beverages. Less than 2 per cent. of the liquor analyzed by chemists of the prohibition unit, he said, has been found fit to drink since the cutting down of withdrawal permits has cut off the supply of bonded liquors. Whisky and gin made from wood alcohol by bootleggers, he asserted, is practically certain to result in blindness and death.

WILSON VOTES BY PROXY.

Former President's Ballot Is Cast For Him At Princeton.

Princeton, N. J.—Woodrow Wilson's ballot in the State election was cast for him here by Holmes B. La Rue, chairman of the Mercer County Board of Elections, under the law permitting voting by absent citizens.

Although he has not lived here since his first election to the Presidency in 1912, Princeton has continued to be Mr. Wilson's legal residence, and until his illness in 1919 he returned every year to vote.

BURCH IS ADJUDGED SANE.

Court Denies Motion For A Sanity Trial.

Los Angeles, Cal.—Arthur C. Burch, indicted for murder in connection with the slaying of J. Belton Kennedy, broker, here last August, was adjudged legally sane here by Superior Judge Sydney N. Reeve. The court denied a motion that Burch be granted a sanity trial before trial of the murder case.

ORGANIZE 80TH RESERVES.

Maryland And Virginia Are In The Division.

Washington.—Organization of the 80th Division of the Organized Reserves for the Army was begun here by Col. Joseph C. Castner, recently nominated to be a brigadier general. The division will be organized from reserves in Virginia, Maryland and the District of Columbia, with headquarters in Richmond, Va.

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Sunday School Lesson

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LESSON FOR NOVEMBER 13

PAUL BEFORE THE ROMAN GOVERNOR.

LESSON TEXT—Acts 24:1-27. GOLDEN TEXT—Herein do I exercise myself, to have always a conscience void of offense toward God and man.—Acts 24:16.

REFERENCE MATERIAL—Luke 12:4-12.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Why Paul Was Not Afraid.

JUNIOR TOPIC—The Secret of Paul's Courage.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Defense Before a Roman Governor.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Paul's Defense Before Felix.

I. Paul Accused (vv. 1-9).

Tertullus, perhaps a Roman barrister, formally made the accusation according to Roman law. He began with flattery. He gave Felix the fullest praise when he and all the people knew that he lied; for Felix was one of the worst governors—destitute of morals and justice. He brought a four-fold charge against Paul:

1. "A pestilent fellow" (v. 5). This would indicate a fellow utterly base and corrupt—a plague.

2. An inciter of rebellion, a mover of sedition (v. 5). This they hoped would bring him into conflict with the Roman power.

3. That he was the ringleader of a sect—a schismatical party—a heretic (v. 5).

4. That he had profaned the temple (v. 6).

II. Paul's Defense (vv. 10-21).

In this defense note:

1. Paul's frankness and courtesy (v. 10). Flattery is entirely wanting. He gives recognition of the fact that Felix had been ruler of this people long enough to be able to judge justly, as the habits and ways of the Jews were familiar to him; and then, in a dignified manner, assumes that Felix will render a just decision based upon the facts of the case.

2. The charge of sedition denied (vv. 11, 12). He flatly and scornfully denied this charge, showing its utter falsity, since the time was too short, being but twelve days since he went to Jerusalem, and half of that time had been spent as a prisoner of the Romans. His conduct while there disproved it—he disputed with no man in the temple; neither did he make any attempt to incite the people in the city nor in the synagogue.

3. The charge of heresy (vv. 14-16). This charge he met by a concession and a denial. He admitted that he was of the "Way" which they called heresy, but clearly showed that it was in keeping with the Hebrew religion: (1) he worshipped the same God (v. 14); (2) he fully believed in the same Scriptures (v. 14); (3) he had the same hope of a coming resurrection of the dead (v. 15). He declared that he made as the principle of life a conscience void of offense before God and man.

4. The charge of sacrilege, or profanation of the temple (vv. 17-21). This charge he refuted by showing (1) that he had come all the way from Greece (v. 17) to worship at the feast; (2) that he had not come up empty-handed, but had brought alms for his nation (v. 17); (3) that there were not competent witnesses present to testify as to his behavior in the temple (v. 19); by challenging his enemies to testify as to his conduct in the council (v. 20).

III. Paul Before Felix the Second Time (vv. 22-27).

This is a sort of a sequel to the trial. Wicked as Felix was, Paul's manner somewhat won his favor, though he did not release him. His sentence was indulgent imprisonment, which kept him free from his enemies while under Roman protection. Felix sent for Paul that he might hear of Christ from him. Paul behaved himself aright before these sinners in high life.

He reasoned of righteousness, self-control and judgment to come, before Felix and his sinful wife, with such power that Felix was terrified and declared that he would hear Paul further at a convenient time. This was a most flimsy excuse for not changing his life and granting justice to Paul. He was so in bondage to sin that he was unwilling to change. Also he hoped that by delaying matters he would receive a bribe.

The Sun of Thy Soul.

A visitor, staying with the poet Tennyson, at his home on the Isle of Wight, one day ventured to ask him the thought of the Lord Jesus Christ. The two were walking in the garden, when the question was asked. For a moment the poet made no reply, but seemed lost in reverie. Then he stopped before a beautiful flower, every petal of which seemed to be drinking in the enlivening rays of sunlight, and said, as simply as a child: "What the sun is to that flower, Jesus Christ is to me. He is the Sun of my soul!"—Selected.

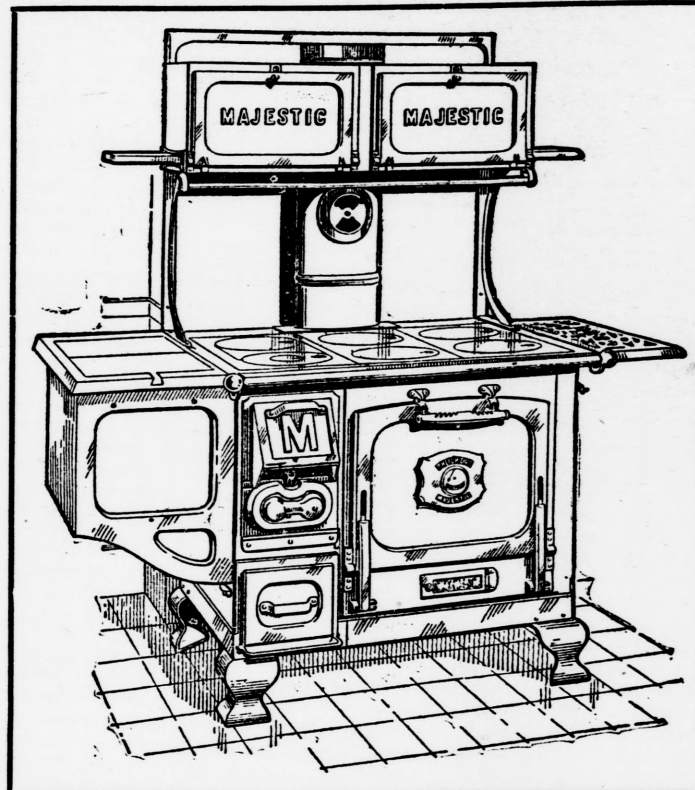
The Gospel to All Peoples.

And I saw another angel fly in the midst of heaven, having the everlasting gospel to preach unto them that dwell on the earth, and to every nation, and kindred, and tongue, and people, saying with a loud voice, Fear God, and give glory to Him; for the hour of His judgment is come; and worship Him that made heaven, and earth, and the sea, and the fountains of waters.—Revelations 14:6, 7.

The Lord Changeth Not.

And I will come near to you to judge; and I will be a swift witness against false swearers, and against those that oppress the hireling in his wages, the widow and the fatherless, and that turn aside the stranger from his right, and fear not me, saith the Lord of Hosts. For I am the Lord; I change not.—Malachi 3:5, 6.

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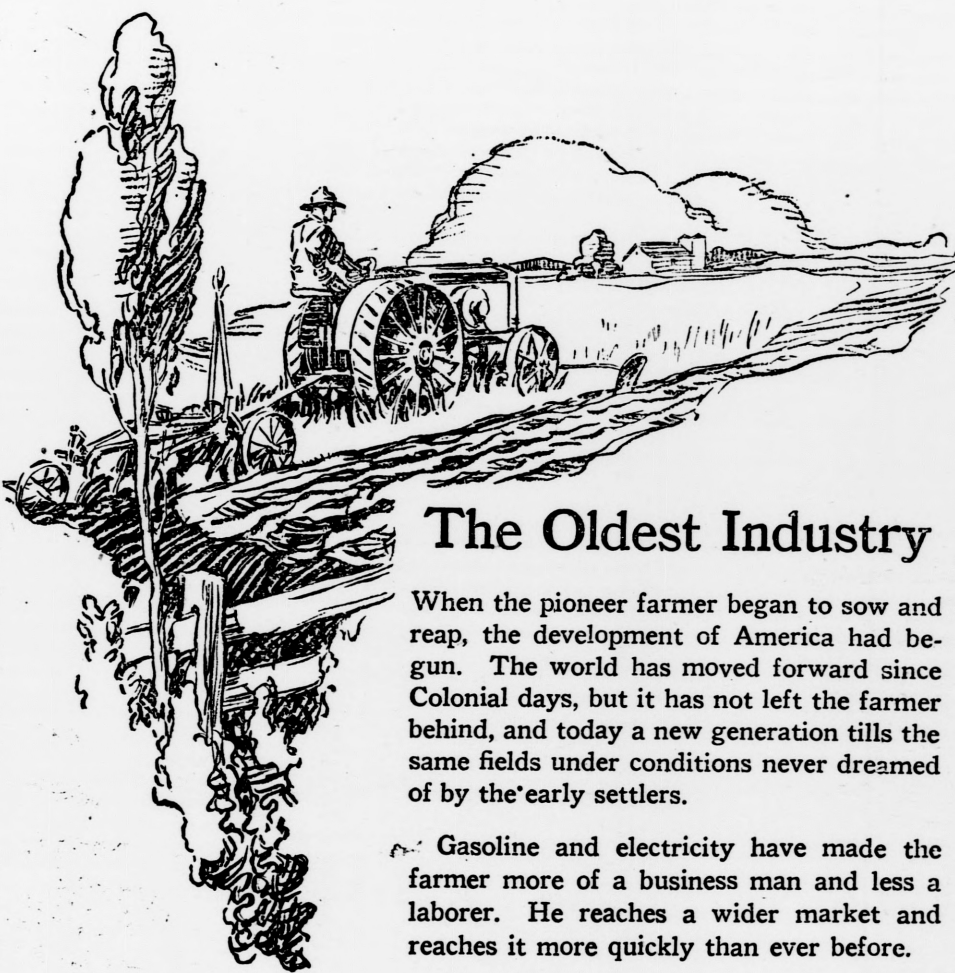
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THE GREEN PEA PIRATES

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SCRAGGS IS ONE LUCKY SEA DOG.

Synopsis.—Captain Phineas P. Scraggs has grown up around the docks of San Francisco, and from mess boy on a river steamer, risen to the ownership of the steamer Maggie. Since each annual inspection promised to be the last of the old weatherbeaten vessel, Scraggs naturally has some difficulty in securing a crew. When the story opens, Adelbert P. Gibney, likable, but erratic, a man whom nobody but Scraggs would hire, is the skipper. Neils Halvorsen, a solemn Swede, constitutes the forecastle hands, and Bart McGuffey, a wastrel of the Gibney type, reigns in the engine room. With this motley crew and his ancient vessel, Captain Scraggs is engaged in freighting garden truck from Halfmoon bay to San Francisco. The inevitable happens, the Maggie goes ashore in a fog. A passing vessel hailing the wreck, Mr. Gibney gets word to a towing company in San Francisco that the ship ashore is the Yankee Prince, with promise of a rich salvage. The two tugboats, securing the Maggie into deep water, and she slips her tow lines and gets away in the fog. Furious at the deception practiced on them, Captain Hicks and Fisher, commanding the two tugboats, ascertain the identity of the "Yankee Prince" and, fearing ridicule should the facts become known along the waterfront, determine on personal vengeance. Their hostile visit to the Maggie results in Captain Scraggs promising to get a new boiler and make needed repairs to the steamer.

CHAPTER V.

A week had elapsed and nothing of an eventful nature had transpired to disturb the routine of life aboard the Maggie, until Bartholomew McGuffey, having heard certain waterfront whispers, considered it the part of prudence to lay his information before Scraggs and Mr. Gibney.

"Look here, Scraggs," he began briskly. "It's all fine an' dandy to promise me a new boiler, but when do I get it?"

"Why, jes' as soon as we can get this glut o' freight behind us, Bart, my boy. You've managed with the old boiler this long, so it 'pears to me you might be patient an' bear with it a little longer, Bart."

"Oh, I ain't tryin' to be disagreeable, Scraggs, only it sort o' worries me to have to go along without bein' able to use our whistle."

"We'll fix it when business slackens up," Scraggs decided with finality. He glanced at his watch. "Sufferin' sailor!" he cried in simulated distress. "Here it's one o'clock an' I ain't collected a dollar o' the freight money from the last voyage. I must beat it."

When Captain Scraggs had "beaten it," Gibney and McGuffey exchanged expressive glances. "He's runnin' out on us," McGuffey complained.

"Even so, Bart, even so. Therefore, the thing for us to do is to run out on him. In other words, we'll work a month, save our money, an' then, without a word o' complaint or argument, we'll walk out."

"Oh, I ain't exactly broke, Gib. I got eighty-five dollars."

"Then," quoth Gibney decisively, "we'll go on strike tonight. Scraggs'll be stuck in port a week before he can get another engineer an' another navigator, me an' you bein' the only two natural-born fools in San Francisco an' ports adjacent, an' before three days have passed he'll be huntin' us up to no compromise."

"I don't want no compromise. What I want is a new boiler."

"You'll get it. We'll make him order the paint an' the boiler an' pay for both in advance before we'll agree to go back to work."

The engineer nodded his approval and after sealing their pact with a hearty handshake, they turned to and commenced discharging the Maggie.

When Captain Scraggs returned to the little steamer shortly after five o'clock, to his great amazement, he discovered Mr. Gibney and McGuffey dressed in their other suits—including celluloid collars and cuffs.

"The cargo's out, Scraggs, my son, the decks has been washed down an' everything in my department is ship-shape!" Thus Mr. Gibney.

"Likewise in mine," McGuffey added.

"Consequently," Mr. Gibney concluded, "we're quittin' the Maggie an' if it's all the same to you we'll have our time."

"My dear Gib. Why, whatever's come over you two boys?"

"Stow your chatter, Scraggs. Shell out the cash. You've fooled us once in the matter o' that boiler an' the paintin', an' we're not goin' to give you a second chance. Come through—or take the consequences. We'll sail no more with a liar an' a fraud."

"Them's hard words, Mr. Gibney."

"The truth is allers bitter," McGuffey opined.

Captain Scraggs paused to consider the serious predicament which confronted him. It was Saturday night. He knew Mr. McGuffey to be the possessor of more money than usual and if he could assure himself that this reserve should be dissipated before Monday morning he was aware, from experience, that the strike would be broken by Tuesday at the latest. And he could afford that delay. He resolved, therefore, on diplomacy.

"Well, I'm sorry," he answered with every appearance of contrition. "You fellows got me in the nine-hole an' I can't help myself. At the same time, I appreciate fully your point of view, while realizin' that I can't convince you o' mine. So we won't have no hard feelin' at partin', boys, an' to show you I'm a sport I'll treat to a French dinner an' a motion picture show afterward. Further, I shall regard a refusal of said invite as a personal affront."

"By golly, you're gittin' sporty in your old age," the engineer declared. "I'll go you, Scraggs. How about you, Gib?"

"I accept with thanks, Scraggs, old tarpot. Personally, I maintain that

seamen should leave their troubles aboard ship."

"That's the spirit I appreciate, boys. Come to the cabin an' I'll pay you off. Then wait a coupler minutes till I shift into my glad rags an' away we'll go, like Paddy Ford's goat—on our own hook."

"Old Scraggs's as cunning as a pet fox, ain't he?" the new navigating officer whispered as Scraggs departed for his other suit. "He's goin' to blow himself on us tonight, thinkin' to soften our hard resolution. We'll fool him. Take all he gives us, but stand pat, Bart."

Bart nodded. His was one of those sturdy natures that could always be depended upon to play the game, win, lose or draw.

As a preliminary move, Captain Scraggs declared in favor of a couple of cocktails to whet their appetites for the French dinner, and according to the trio repaired to an adjacent saloon and tucked three each under their belts—all at Captain Scraggs' expense. When he proposed a fourth, Mr. Gibney's perfect sportsmanship caused him to protest, and reluctantly Captain Scraggs permitted Gibney to buy. Scraggs decided to have a cigar, however, instead of another Martini. The ethics of the situation then indicated that McGuffey should "set 'em up," which he did over Captain Scraggs' protest—and again the wary Scraggs called for a cigar, alleging as an excuse for his weakness that for years three cocktails before dinner had been his absolute limit. A fourth cocktail on an empty stomach, he declared, would kill the evening for him.

But why descend to sordid and vulgar details? Suffice that when the artful Scraggs, pretending to be overcome by his potatoes and very ill into



Mr. McGuffey Located a Dime Which Had Dropped Down Inside the Lining of His Coat.

the bargain, begged to be delivered back aboard the Maggie, Messrs. McGuffey and Gibney loaded him into a taxicab and sent him there, while they continued their search for excitement. Where and how they found it requires no elucidation here; it is sufficient to state that it was expensive, for when men of the Gibney and McGuffey type have once gotten a fair start naught but financial dissolution can stop them.

On Monday morning, Messrs. Gibney and McGuffey awoke in Scab Johnny's boarding house. Mr. Gibney awoke first, by reason of the fact that his stomach hammered at the door of his soul and bade him be up and doing. While his head ached slightly from the ferry subsidence of the Bowhead saloon, he craved a return to a solid diet, so for several minutes he lay supine, conjuring in his agile brain ways and means of supplying this need in the absence of ready cash.

"I'll have to hock my sextant," was the conclusion at which he presently arrived. Ten minutes later he took his sextant under his arm and departed for a pawnshop in lower Market street. From the pawnshop he returned to Scab Johnny's with eight dollars in his pocket, routed out the contrite McGuffey, and carried the latter off to ham and eggs.

They felt better after breakfast and for the space of an hour lolled at the table, discussing their adventures of the past forty-eight hours. "Well, there's one thing certain," McGuffey concluded, "an' that thing is sure a cinch. Our strike has petered out. Let's money along down to the Maggie's dock an' see how Scraggs's gettin' along."

Forthwith they set out to interview Captain Scraggs. The owner of the Maggie greeted them cheerily, but after discussing generalities for half an hour, Scraggs failed to make overtures, whereupon Mr. Gibney announced casually that he guessed he and Mac would be on their way.

"Same here, boys," Captain Scraggs piped breezily. "I got a new mate an' a new engineer comin' aboard at ten o'clock an' we sail at twelve."

"Well, we'll see you occasionally," Mr. Gibney said at parting.

"Oh, sure. Don't be strangers. You're always welcome aboard the old Maggie," came the careless rejoinder.

Somewhat crestfallen, the striking pair repaired to the Bowhead saloon to discuss the situation over a glass of beer. However, Mr. Gibney's spirits never dropped below zero while he had one nickel to rub against another;

hence such slight depression as he felt was due to a feeling that Captain Scraggs had basely swindled him and McGuffey. He was disappointed in Scraggs and said as much. "However, Bart," he concluded, "we'll never say 'die' while our money holds out, and in the meantime our luck may have changed. Let's scatter around and try to locate some kind of a job; then when them new employees o' Scraggs quit or get fired—which'll be after about two voyages—an' the old man comes around holdin' out the olive branch o' peace, we'll give him the horselaugh."

Three days of diligent search failed to uncover the coveted job for either, however, and on the morning of the fourth day Mr. Gibney announced that it would be necessary to "raise the wind."

If the pair would breakfast. They retired to the sidewalk to hold a caucus and Mr. McGuffey located a dime which had dropped down inside the lining of his coat. "That settles it," Gibney declared. "We've skipped two meals but I'll be durned if we skip another. We'll ride out to the San Mateo county line on the trolley with that dime an' then hoof it over the hills to Halfmoon bay. Scraggs won't get away from the dock here until after twelve o'clock, so we know he'll be at Halfmoon bay all night. If we start now we'll connect with him in time for supper. Eh, Bart?"

"A twenty-mile hike on a tee-totally empty stomach, with a battle royal on our hands the minute we arrive, weak an' destitute, ain't quite my idea o' enjoyment, Gib, but I'll go you if it kills me. Let's up hook an' away. I'm for gittin' back to work an' usin' moral persuasion to git that new boiler."

They took a hitch in their belts and started. From the point at which they left the trolley to their journey's end was a stiff six-hour jaunt, up hill and down dale, and long before the march was half completed the unaccustomed exercise had developed sundry galls and blisters on the Gibney heels, while the soles of poor McGuffey's feet were so hot he voiced the apprehension that they might burn to a crisp at any moment and drop off by the wayside.

The crew of the Maggie had ceased working cargo for the day and Captain Scraggs was busy cooking supper in the galley when the two prodigals, exhausted, crippled and repentant, came to the door and coughed propitiously, but Captain Scraggs pretended not to hear, and went on with his task of turning fried eggs with an artistic flip of the frying pan. So Mr. Gibney spoke, struggling bravely to appear nonchalant. With his eyes on the fried eggs and his mouth threatening to slaver at the glorious sight, he said:

"Hello, there, Scraggs, old tarpot. How goes it with the owner o' the fast an' commodious steamer Maggie? Git that consignment o' post-holes aboard yet?"

Mr. Gibney's honest face beamed expectantly, for he was particularly partial to fried eggs. As for his companion in distress, anything edible and which would serve to nullify the gnawing at his internal economy would be welcome. Inasmuch as Captain Scraggs did not readily reply to Mr. Gibney's salutation, McGuffey decided to be more emphatic and to the point, albeit in a joking way.

"Hurry up with them eggs, Scraggs," he rumbled. "Me an' Gib's walkin' down from the city an' we're hungry. Jawn D. Rockefeller'd give a million dollars for my appetite. Fry mine hard, Scraggs. I want somethin' solid."

"Get off my ship, you murderin' pirates," Scraggs screamed.

"Not till we've eat," the practical-minded engineer retorted. "Even then we won't get off. Me an' Gib ain't goin' to walk another step we'd be crippled for life. Fry my eggs hard, I tell you."

"This is piracy, men. It's robbery on the high seas, an' I can put you over the road for it," Scraggs warned them. "What's more, I'll do it."

"The eggs, Scraggs," boomed Mr. Gibney, "the eggs."

Half an hour later, as the pirates, replete with provender, sat dangling their damaged underpinning over the stern railing where the gentle waves laved and cooled them, Captain Scraggs, accompanied by the new navigating officer, the new engineer, and The Squarehead, came aft. The cripples looked up, surveyed their successors in office, and found the sight far from reassuring.

"I've already ordered you two tramps off'n my ship," Scraggs began formally, "an' I hereby, in the presence o' reliable witnesses, repeats the invitation. You ain't wanted; your room's preferred longer, in defiance o' my orders, you're layin' yourselves liable to a charge o' piracy."

Mr. Gibney carefully laid his pipe aside and stood up. He was quite an imposing spectacle in his bare feet, with his trousers rolled up to his great knees, thereby revealing his scarlet flannel underdrawers. With a stifled groan, McGuffey rose and stood beside his partner, and Mr. Gibney spoke:

"Scraggs, be reasonable. We ain't lookin' for trouble; not because we don't relish it, for we do where a couple o' scabs is concerned, but for the simple reason that we ain't in the best o' condition to receive it, although if you force it on us we'll do our best. If you chuck us off the Maggie an' force us to walk back to San Francisco, we're goin' to be reported as mislaid. Honest, now, Scraggs, old side-winder, you ain't goin' to maroon us here, alone with the vegetables, are you?"

"You done me dirt. You quit me

cold. Git out. Two can play at a dirty game an' every dog must have his day. This is my day, Gib. Seat!"

"Pers'nally," McGuffey announced quietly, "I prefer to die aboard the Maggie, if I have to. This ain't movin' day with B. McGuffey, Esquire."

"Them's my sentiments, too, Scraggs."

"Then defend yourselves. Come on, lads. Bear a hand an' we'll bounce these muckers overboard." The Squarehead hung back, having no intention of waging war upon his late comrades, but the engineer and the new navigating officer stepped briskly forward, for they were about to fight for their jobs. Mr. Gibney halted the advance by lifting both great hands in a deprecatory manner.

"For heaven's sake, Scraggs, have a heart. Don't force us to murder you. If we're peaceable, what's to prevent you from givin' us a passage back to San Francisco, where we're known an' where we'll have at least a fightin' chance to git somethin' to eat occasionally?"

"You know mighty well what's to prevent me, Gib. I ain't got no passenger license, an' I'll be keel-hauled an' skull-dragged if I fall for your cute little game, my son. I ain't layin' myself liable to a fine from the inspectors an' maybe have my ticket book took away to boot."

"Enough of this gab," Mr. Gibney roared. "My patience is exhausted. I'm dog-tired an' I'm goin' to have peace if I have to fight for it. Me an' Bart stays aboard the steamer Maggie until she gets back to Frisco town or until we're hove overboard in the interim by the weight of numbers. An' if any man, or set o' male bipeds that calls themselves men, is so foolish as to try to evict us from this packet, then all I got to say is that they're triffin' with death. I got my arms left, even if my feet is on the friz, Scraggs," he continued, "an' if you start anything I'll hug you an' your crew to death. I'm a rip-roarin' grizzly bear once I'm started an' there's such a thing as drivin' a man to desperation."

The bluff worked! Captain Scraggs turned to his retainers and with a condescending and paternal smile, said: "Boys, let's give the dumb fools their own way. If they insist upon takin' forcible possession o' my ship on the high seas, there's only one name for the crime—an' that's piracy, punishable by hangin' from the yard-arm. We'll just let 'em stay aboard an' turn 'em over to the police when we git back to the city."

He started for his cabin and the crew, vastly relieved, followed him. The pirates once more sat down and permitted their hot feet to loll overboard.

About ten o'clock next morning the little vessel completed taking on her cargo, the lines were cast off, and the homeward voyage was begun. Messrs. Gibney and McGuffey were seated on the stern bitts as the Maggie came abreast the Point Montara fog signal station, when Mr. Gibney observed a long telescope poking out the side window of the pilot house, and following the direction in which the telescope was pointing he made out a large bark standing in dangerously close to the beach. In fact, the breakers were tumbling in a long white streak over the reefs less than a quarter of a mile from her.

In an instant all was excitement aboard the Maggie. "That looks like an elegant little pick-up. She's plumb deserted," Scraggs shouted to his navigating officer. "I don't see any distress signals flyin' an' yet she's got an anchor out while her canvas is hangin' so-so."

"If she had any hands aboard, you'd think they'd have sense enough to clew up her courses," the mate answered.

At this juncture, Mr. Gibney and McGuffey, unable to restrain their curiosity, and forgetful of the fact that they were pirates with very sore feet,

buntlines an' clew garnets, Stars-an'-Stripes upside down."

He lowered the glass and roared at Neils Halvorsen, who was at the wheel, "Starboard your helm, Squarehead. Don't be afraid of her. We're goin' over there an' hook on to her. I should say she is a pick-up!"

Mr. Gibney had abdicated as a pirate and assumed command of the S. S. Maggie. With the memory of a scant breakfast upon him, however, Captain Scraggs was still harsh and bitter.

"Git out o' my pilot house an' aft where the police can find you when they come lookin' for you," he screamed. "Don't you give no orders to my deckhand."

"Stow it, you ass. Yonder's a prize, but it'll require imagination to win it; consequently you need Adelbert P. Gibney in your business, if you're contemplatin' hookin' on to that bark, snakin' her into San Francisco bay, an' libelin' her for ten thousand dollars' salvage. You an' Mac an' The Squarehead here have sailed this strip o' coast too long together to quarrel over the first good piece o' salvage we ever run into. Come, Scraggs. Be decent, forget the past, an' let's dig in together."

The new navigating officer drew Captain Scraggs aside and whispered in his ear: "Make it up with these Smart Alecks, Scraggs. They got it on us, but if we can send you an' Halvorsen, McGuffey and Gibney over to the bark, you can get some sail on her an' what with the wind helpin' us along, the Maggie can tow her all right."

Mr. Gibney saw by the hopeful, even cunning, look that leaped to Scraggs' eyes that the problem was about to be solved without recourse to the Gibney imagination, so he resolved to be alert and not permit himself to be caught out on the end of a limb. "Well, Scraggs," he demanded.

"I guess I need you in my business, Gib. You're right an' I'm always wrong. It's a fact. I ain't got no more imagination than a chicken."

"My imagination's better'n my reputation, Scraggs, an' I ain't working for nothin'!"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

MANY USES FOR GIANT KELP

Among Others, Sea Plant Lends Itself Excellently to the Making of "Hootch."

The aboriginal natives of British Columbia and Alaska can always get a suitable worm for distilling by picking it out of the sea. It is furnished by the hollow stem of the giant kelp, and serves excellently for the making of "hootch" from a mixture of molasses and graham flour. The giant kelp is anchored to the rocky bottom by a root-like holdfast, from which springs a stem that is sometimes 100 feet long. This stem is hollow for the upper half of its length, and terminates in a big bladder-like bulb from which, as it floats on the surface, fronds 50 feet long branch out. The plant grows from spores and is an annual. One variety is called "sea otter's cabbage," and is very plentiful in the region of Puget sound. Another, commonly known as "sea pumpkin," flourishes nearly as far south as San Diego bay. Bulbs of the giant kelp are used in the Puget sound region as bottles to hold fish oil and by fishermen as bathholders. The Eskimos utilize the hollow stem as a siphon to empty water out of their kayaks, which, being decked over, are not easily baled in the ordinary way. Also from sections of the stem they make wheels for toy wagons.

Certain Trouble.

The project for an American academy of poetry and song will not materialize without some friction. Neither would the institution be maintained without more controversy. If it were just a clearing house for poetry it would be easier; but even that might furnish argument. There is a large difference of opinion as to what really constitutes poetry. There is a large school willing to admit as poetry anything which has neither rhyme nor reason. Others who follow such jurists as Bryant and Longfellow insist that real poetry must have both. Possibly it would be best to compromise on a home for bards and let them tilt before a nonpartisan committee for admission. Even a hall of fame for poets might start a fight.—Los Angeles Times.

Virginia's Claim to Fame.

Virginia was termed the mother of states from the great number of states which were carved out of the territory originally included under the name of Virginia, and also as being the first settled and oldest of the original thirteen states of the Union. The states created out of what was once Virginia territory are Kentucky, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. During the Civil war the northwestern part of the seceded state, which remained loyal to the Union, was separated from Virginia, and admitted into the Union as a separate state, under the name of West Virginia.

Many Native Negro Languages.

Native Negro languages are a marvel. There are about eight hundred, and more than one hundred have been reduced to writing, said a missionary who has just returned from three years' travel over Africa. We know not for how many generations these languages have been passed from lip to ear, from parent to child, and from tribe to tribe.

"I'll Hug You and Your Crew to Death."

came running over the deck and invaded the pilot house. "Gimme that glass, you sock-eyed salmon, you," Gibney ordered Scraggs, and tore the telescope from the owner's hands. "Hum—m—m! American bark Chesapeake. Starboard anchor out; yards braced a-box; royal an' top-gallan's clewed up; courses hangin' in the

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MORE STUDENTS IN COLLEGE

FORTY-TWO of the leading universities and colleges in the United States show an enrollment for the academic year 1921 of 187,447, compared with 154,810 for 1920, or an increase of 32,637—21 per cent. Columbia University tops the list in total enrollment as well as increase, the enrollment for 1920 being 22,673 and 25,095 for 1921, an increase of 2,417. Four other universities record an enrollment exceeding 10,000 for both years, and increases for 1921. They are California, 10,424, University of Michigan, (Ann Arbor) 10,624, College of the City of New York, 12,001, and the University of Pennsylvania, 12,421. The college of diplomacy and jurisprudence of the American University, Washington, D. C., has increased its enrollment more than 100 per cent. over last year, while the foreign service school of Georgetown shows a large increase, indicating the increasing interest being taken in these subjects.

One explanation given for this large increase in enrollment in institutions of higher education is that the value of such education is being recognized as never before, while army life is said to have had much to do with impressing this upon the public mind. The value of a trained mind, the era of specialization, and the necessity of mastering some definite field of knowledge are making their appeal. Payson Smith, Commissioner of Education for Massachusetts, attributes some of the increased enrollment to the industrial depression which has given opportunity to many men and women to put in a year of study, while the difficulty of getting desirable jobs has induced many others to prepare themselves for even better ones.

One of the admirable factors which is disclosed is the increasing number of students who are pursuing subjects included in the field of political science—government and politics and the study of the Federal Constitution and the laws growing out of the powers conferred or reserved by that document. This can not fail to create a greater loyalty to the American charter and a sentiment sternly opposed to the red doctrines which have taken root in many sections of the country.

PEOPLE LEAD IN THOUGHT

THERE is much significance in the observation of the Chelsea, Massachusetts, "Record" that the public mind in Great Britain shows signs of getting in front of official action in the matter of a decision in the armament conference. It is altogether likely that public opinion is in front of official action in most instances and on most public subjects in Great Britain. Beyond any doubt whatever the people of Great Britain are willing to go much farther in the direction of limitation or reduction of armaments than will their official representatives who are to meet with the representatives of other nations in the conference at Washington. It is to be hoped that the British public will have some means of making known to their representatives their wishes regarding relief from the burden of military armament.

RAIL AND FARM WAGES

OFFICIALS of the Interstate Commerce Commission have been speculating on the cost of producing wheat if farm labor and farmers received the rate of wages paid to railroad labor. Since farmers pay a large part of the wages of railroad labor, the subject is one which might be interesting to farmers, purely as a matter of curiosity, and perhaps something besides curiosity.

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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15th

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—in—
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Pathe Review. Star comedy. Fox News.

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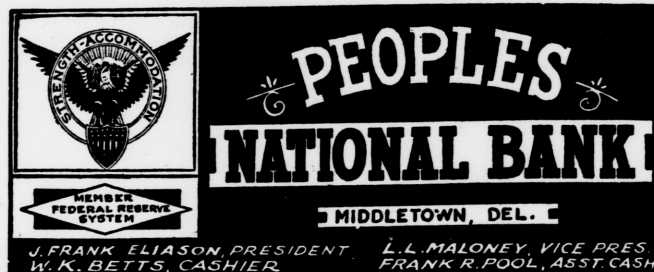
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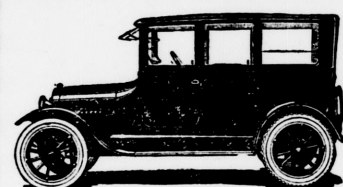


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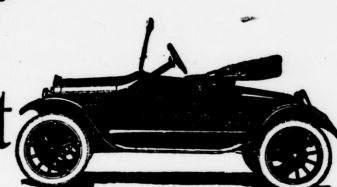
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The taxable residents of Pencader Hundred, and all persons liable to pay tax in said Hundred, are hereby notified that the County and School Taxes for the year 1921 are now due, and the undersigned Tax Collector for said Hundred, will be

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AT PORTER,
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From 1 to 3 P. M.

AT SALMON'S STORE,
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WEDNESDAY, NOV. 30th, 1921
From 9 to 11 A. M.

AT NICHOLS' STORE,
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WEDNESDAY, NOV. 30th, 1921
From 1 to 3 P. M.

Extract from the Laws of Delaware, governing the collection of Taxes of New Castle County, Section 3, Chapter 30, Volume 21, Laws of Delaware, as amended.

SEC 3.—That on all county taxes paid before the first day of October there shall be an abatement of five per centum. On all taxes paid during the month of December there shall be no abatement whatever. And on all taxes unpaid on the first day of January there shall be added one-half of one per centum per month until the same shall be paid.

EDWARD O. WALTON
Collector of Taxes for Pencader Hundred

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS

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The taxable residents of St. Georges Hundred, and all persons liable to pay tax in said Hundred, are hereby notified that the county and school Taxes for the year 1921 are now due, and the undersigned Tax Collector for said Hundred, will be

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From 1 P. M. to 4 P. M.

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26th, 1921
From 1 P. M. to 4 P. M.

EXTRACT FROM THE LAWS OF DELAWARE, GOVERNING THE COLLECTION OF TAXES OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY, SECTION 3, CHAPTER 30, VOLUME 21, LAWS OF DELAWARE, AS AMENDED.

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JAMES T. CARPENTER
Collector of Taxes for St. Georges Hundred

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS

—OF—
Blackbird Hundred

The taxable residents of Blackbird Hundred, and all persons liable to pay tax in said Hundred, are hereby notified that the county and school Taxes for the year 1921 are now due, and the undersigned Tax Collector for said Hundred, will be

AT FLEMING'S LANDING,
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26th, 1921
From 1 to 4 P. M.

AT BLACKBIRD,
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 28th, 1921
From 1 to 4 P. M.

RESIDENCE OF JOHN WALTON,
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25th, 1921
From 1 to 4 P. M.

EXTRACT FROM THE LAWS OF DELAWARE, GOVERNING THE COLLECTION OF TAXES OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY:

Section 3.—That on all County taxes paid before the day of October there shall be an abatement of five per centum. On all taxes paid before the first day of December there shall be an abatement of three per centum. On all taxes paid during the month of December there shall be no abatement whatever. And on all taxes unpaid on the first day of January there shall be added one-half of one per centum per month until the same shall be paid.

JOHN BEITH,
Collector of Taxes for Blackbird Hundred

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

—OF—
Appoquinimink Hundred

The taxable residents of Appoquinimink Hundred, and all persons liable to pay tax in said Hundred, are hereby notified that the county and school Taxes for the year 1921 are now due, and the undersigned Tax Collector for said Hundred, will be

AT HIS RESIDENCE ON SOUTH STREET
TOWNSEND, DELAWARE
EVERY SATURDAY
During the Month of NOVEMBER, '21
From 1 to 6 P. M.

EXTRACT FROM THE LAWS OF DELAWARE, GOVERNING THE COLLECTION OF TAXES OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY:

Section 3.—That on all taxes paid before the first day of October there shall be an abatement of five per centum. On all taxes paid before the first day of December there shall be an abatement of three per centum. On all taxes paid during the month of December there shall be no abatement whatever. And on all taxes unpaid on the first day of January there shall be added one-half of one per centum per month until the same shall be paid.

BENJAMIN G. LOCKERMAN
Collector of Taxes for Appoquinimink Hundred

Good Health

If you would enjoy good health, keep your bowels regular. No one can reasonably hope to feel well when constipated. When needed, take Chamberlain's Tablets. They are mild and gentle.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

—OF—
Red Lion Hundred

The taxable residents of Red Lion Hundred, and all persons liable to pay tax in said Hundred, are hereby notified that the County and School Taxes for the year 1921 are now due, and the undersigned Tax Collector for said Hundred, will be

AT PENNSYLVANIA R. R. STATION,
Kirkwood, Delaware
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 28th, 1921
From 9 A. M. to 12 M.

AT JOHN CROMPTON'S STORE,
St. Georges, Delaware
TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 29th, 1921
From 9 A. M. to 12 M.

PARLOR OF ROBINSON HOUSE,
Delaware City, Delaware
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 30th, '21
From 9 A. M. to 12 M.

AT MY RESIDENCE IN DELAWARE CITY,
ALL OTHER DAYS

Extract from the Laws of Delaware, governing the Collection of Taxes of New Castle County, Section 3, Chapter 30, Volume 21, Laws of Delaware, as Amended.

SEC 3. That on all county taxes paid before the first day of October there shall be an abatement of five per centum. On all taxes paid before the first day of December there shall be an abatement of three per centum. On all taxes paid during the month of December there shall be no abatement whatever. And on all taxes unpaid on the first day of January there shall be added one-half per centum per month until the same shall be paid.

GEORGE L. BATTEN
Collector for Red Lion Hundred.

ESTATE OF JOSEPH L. PARSONS, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration upon the Estate of Joseph L. Parsons, late of St. Georges Hundred, deceased, were duly granted unto Debby V. Thompson and Lucy Bowers on the Eighteenth day of April A. D. 1921, and all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to make payment to the Administratrices without delay, and all persons having demands against the deceased are required to exhibit and present the same duly probated to the said Administratrices on or before the Eighteenth day of April A. D. 1922, or abide by the law in this behalf.

DEBBY V. THOMPSON,
LUCY BOWERS,
Administratrices.
Address
MARTIN BURRIS, Att'y-at-Law,
Middletown, Delaware, or
JAMES W. CHAPMAN, JR., Att'y-at-Law
516 Munsey Building,
Baltimore, Md.

ESTATE OF THEODORE CARROW, Deceased. Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of Theodore Carrow, late of Red Lion Hundred, deceased, were duly granted unto Mary E. Carrow on the Eighth day of November A. D. 1921 and all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to make payment to the Executrix without delay, and all persons having demands against the deceased are required to exhibit and present the same duly probated to the said Executrix on or before the Eighth day of November A. D. 1922 or abide by the law in this behalf.

MARY E. CARROW,
Executrix.
Address
RICHARD S. ROONEY, Att'y-at-Law,
907 Market Street,
Wilmington, Delaware.

Trespassing and Gunning Notice
printed and now ready for sale at
the Transcript Office.

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Here We Go On

Fall suits—at new prices.
Fall overcoats—at new prices.

They arrived yesterday—they are on display today—enough suits and overcoats to move hundreds of Delaware men to immediate action.

Prices 50% lower than Spring—that's good news—but not a circumstance to the attractiveness of the models.

Come—we want to show you the last word in gentlemen's apparel.

To say we have men's and young men's Suits and Overcoats at \$15.00, \$20.00, \$25.00, \$30.00 and \$35.00 means nothing

It's quality of material
quality of linings—last
but not least—The Tailoring.

The best of Tailoring means so much to the looks and service that we cling to our old established methods of reliable materials and the best of hand tailoring.

MUNSHING-WEAR

UNION SUITS FOR MEN

\$1.50, \$2.00 and \$3.50

SHIRTS AND DRAWERS

75c, \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.50

PENNSYLVANIA KNIT SWEATERS

MEN'S AND BOYS'

\$2.50, \$3.50, \$5.00 and \$7.50.

EDWARD G. WALLS

Open Wednesday Night

Main Street, Smyrna, Delaware

OPENING

No Profit Sale

We were compelled to move to larger quarters. To get our customers accustomed to our new location we are offering our entire stock at cost.

We are conducting a **No Profit Sale!** Come and take advantage of this occasion.

FREE!

A useful souvenir given to every customer visiting our store during this Opening Sale.

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Crash Toweling, 10c a yard.
O. N. T. Sewing Cotton, 150 yards, 4½c a spool.
Bleached Muslin, Merit, 16c yd.
Clarks Crochet Cotton, B, 9c a ball.

Lancaster Gingham, 15c a yard.

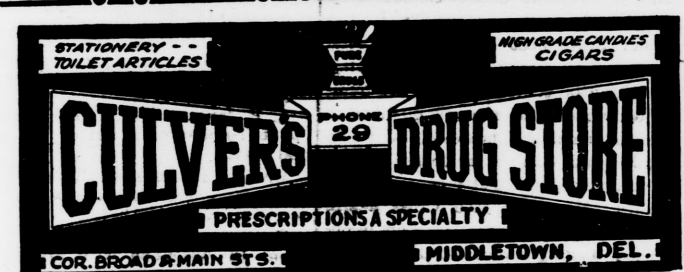
Shaker Flannel, 15c a yard.

Shoe Laces, black and brown, 2 pair for 5c.

These are only a few of the items we offer at cost at our **Opening No Profit Sale!** Hitch up your old mare, tune up your old tin Lizzy, hop on a cycle or walk, but do not fail to attend this **Opening No Profit Sale!**

Berg's Bargain Store
MIDDLETOWN, DELAWARE

On Opposite Side of the Street From Our Old Stand



How Not to Take Cold

Some persons are subject to frequent colds, while others seldom, if ever, have a cold. You will find that the latter take good care of themselves. They take a shower or cold sponge bath every day in a warm room, avoid overheated rooms, sleep with a window open or partly open, avoid excesses, over eating, becoming overheated and then chilled and getting the feet wet. Then, when they feel the first indication of a cold, they take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy without delay and it is soon over.



WALK OVER

ROKWOOD

Walk-Over's New French-English Toe Has Set the Style for Young Men this Season

The young man who satisfies his fancy for fineness of style and wants newness as well as goodness will like the long, narrow effect, the unobtrusive style decorations, and the new, small finished brass eyelets.

\$6.00, \$6.90, \$7.50 and \$8.00

W. L. Douglass Shoes.
Lion Brand Shoes—
for Everyday wear—the
good reliable kind
\$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00
see our leader at \$2.50

THIS WOMAN'S EXPERIENCE

Brings a Ray of Hope to Childless Women

Lowell, Mass.—"I had anemia from the time I was sixteen years old and was very irregular. If I did any house-cleaning or washing I would faint and have to be put to bed, my husband thinking every minute was my last. After reading your text-book for women I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and used the Sanative Wash, and have never felt better than I have the last two years. I can work, eat, sleep, and feel as strong as can be. Doctors told me I could never have children—I was too weak—but after taking Vegetable Compound it strengthened me so I gave birth to an eight pound boy. I was well all the time, did all my work up to the last day, and had a natural birth. Everybody who knew me was surprised, and when they ask me what made me strong I tell them with great pleasure, 'I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and never felt better in my life.' Use this testimonial at any time."—Mrs. ELIZABETH SMART, 142 W. Sixth St., Lowell, Mass. This experience of Mrs. Smart is surely a strong recommendation for Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It is only one of a great many similar cases.

TOO LATE

Death only a matter of short time. Don't wait until pains and aches become incurable diseases. Avoid painful consequences by taking

GOLD MEDAL HARMON OIL CAPSULES

The world's standard remedy for kidney, liver, bladder and uric acid troubles—the National Remedy of Holland since 1695. Three sizes, all druggists.

Look for the same Gold Medal on every box and accept no imitation.

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MOTHER! CLEAN CHILD'S BOWELS WITH CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP

Even a sick child loves the "fruit" taste of "California Fig Syrup." If the little tongue is coated, or if your child is listless, cross, feverish, full of cold, or has colic, give a teaspoonful to cleanse the liver and bowels. In a few hours you can see for yourself how thoroughly it works all the constipation poison, sour bile and waste out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.

Millions of mothers keep "California Fig Syrup" handy. They know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother! You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.—Advertisement.

The Wagging Host. "Who do you s'pose that queer-looking feller was?" asked old Riley Rezzidew, who was lounging in the lobby of the Petunia tavern. "A moving picture actor, I guess likely," replied the landlord. "Ten a-rite, when he signed his name he registered disgust."—Kansas City Star.

Evaporated. "What's the matter?" "I sold an article on 'Fresh Milk,' and the editor condensed it!"—Wayside Tales.

In warm weather it doesn't do to be all wrapped up in yourself.

Crepe and Velvet

Favorite Fabrics Beautified by the Use of Lace.

Afternoon Frocks Are Shown Plain and Sometimes With Beads—Side Drapes Used.

Crepe, velvets and brocades are specialties of one manufacturer. Several of their black evening gowns are made up with lace, while afternoon frocks are shown plain and sometimes with beads. Side drapes of lace, which extend from the shoulder to the hem and form tiny sleeves, characterize a black costume of the same lace in straight lines down the front. A navy canton crepe has side drapes formed of squares of double crepe heavily beaded in red. Lines of the same beads outline the collar, cuffs and shoulders. Three tiers of white crystal beads in long loops cover the entire skirt of a canton crepe gown built on straight lines. One tier of loops covers the waists, supplemented with bands of designs in the beads. A black chiffon velvet with long bodice straight in front and gathered at the sides, features a curved hem, longer at the sides than in the back and front.

In broadened chiffon, two deep turquoise frocks are shown, one with a scalloped tunic over an underskirt of the same color in charmeuse, and the other with the flower design of the brocade on the lower part of the skirt emphasized by blue beads.

A dress with a separate cape is shown in brown canton crepe. The bodice is long waisted and plain with a corded belt and long side panels. The cape is of the same color and also plain, except for the corded border of the wide collar and the bottom.

COLLAR AND POCKETS OF FUR



Civet cat collar and two big pockets of the same fur, give a unique touch to this winsome street suit.

HANDBAGS NOW TO BE USEFUL

Compartment as Important as Style—Duvelyn Faillie, Silk and Canton Crepe, Materials.

Smart compact bags are the keynote of the novelties featured this season. Paris has set the pace for bulkless appearing handbags, and American manufacturers have adopted this idea with variations to suit the needs of American women. Bags are carried more for utility than for decoration by American women. It was pointed out, and therefore compartments are as important an element as the style. To give the flat effect and at the same time make it roomy has taxed the ingenuity of manufacturers, but they have succeeded admirably in combining the two. Bags are being made so small and at the same time spacious enough for toilet articles, that the term "vanity" is liberally applied.

The envelope bag, square and oblong shape, is the most stressed style, but bags on frames and draw strings

FAVORITE SHADES FOR HATS

Fuchsia Tints Prominent in Display of Millinery—Drooping Feather to Be Seen Again.

Lovely and varied are fuchsia shades seen in the autumn display of millinery. American Beauty, too, bright and becoming, takes a prominent place. Shapes are large and small alike. In trimmings there are beads and embroidery, and the high front effect is quite noticeable.

There are modifications of the tri-corn shape, and Spanish effects in trimmings that include dangling earrings. The drooping feather will be seen again this winter. Even kid is included in the trimmings, one very attractive shape of navy blue velvet having kid morning glories in blue covering the upturned brim. A large picture hat is charming in fuchsia shades, with panne velvet facings in lighter shade. French velvet flowers are fastened round the graceful, slightly drooping brim. Spanish draped effects are also featured, and

WARM FROCK FOR COOL DAYS



Seal brown velvet is utilized in this charming and warm street frock for crisp fall days. "Walls of Troy," cut in matching cloth, edge all the hems.

FABRIC GLOVE IS APPROVED

Even Those Accustomed to Wear Kid Have Declared Preference for Newer Handcovering.

The fabric glove has found favor with the most fastidious; even those accustomed to wear the kid glove exclusively have declared preference for the fabric glove for general wear.

Led by the fancy kid glove, which has had its quota of success, the fabric glove has begun to be decorated in various ways. One of the weaves finding favor comes from France, and, strange to say, it has been developed with all thought for an American clientele. It is an armure of fine cotton which has been passed through an emery process, leaving it with a velvety finish like a dull suede. It is said to be lighter in quality than the chambray, which is the one liked best in the heavier grades.

Among the shades preferred, gray and beige are now in the first rank with such differences in tones as shades in each color with white and black and, not infrequently, combinations of the two.

Shoes for Tiny Feet.

Children should wear proper shoes from the start or else deformities may be the result. The soles of children's shoes should have straight inside lines and should be everywhere as wide and long as the foot while standing. Both sole and upper should be flexible enough to permit the foot to bend easily for walking. The heel should be low and broad.

Ribbon Worn to Match.

It is an interesting trick to wear a narrow ribbon about the waist to match the ribbon on the hat.

Gifts That Will Please

Of Canvas and Ribbon



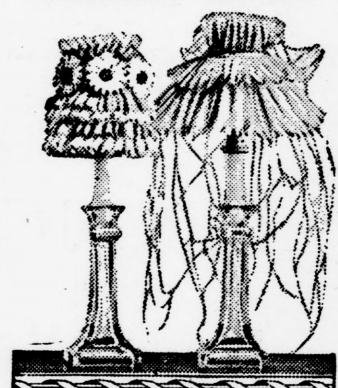
It goes without saying that bags of all sorts are among those gifts that are always welcome. There are many new ones this year made of coarse canvas, or unbleached linen and trimmed with narrow satin ribbon and ribbon flowers. Baby ribbon may be drawn through the interstices of the canvas. Drawing threads out of either the canvas or linen makes it possible to weave wider ribbons over and under the remaining threads, in borders or ornaments. Flowers cut from cotton or linen, in various colors, are applied to the linen bags and buttoned along their edges with cotton floss or yarn. A case for holding playing cards and a bag which may be put to various uses are shown above in gifts suited to either men or women.

Sweets for Christmas



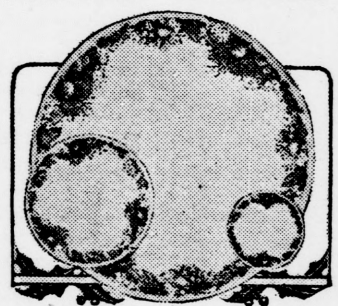
You cannot think of anyone who will not be delighted to receive a gift like that illustrated here. It is a half-dozen glasses filled with jelly, preserves and marmalade, very attractively arranged in a wicker basket. The tin covers of the glasses are lacquered with black lacquer and a white gummed letter is placed in the center of each one. A spray of fruit or blossoms painted on the lid with sealing wax, together with the letter, tells the kind of jelly or preserves the glass contains, as apple, with a spray of apple blossoms and the letter "A," or currant with a cluster of currants and foliage and the letter "C." Sealing wax in several colors simulates shirred ribbon on the center glass which contains marmalade.

Christmas Candles



This year's candle shades made of gay silks or of crepe paper are shown in such variety that every one may be pleased. Sparkling silver tinsel strays over some of them, adding a holiday glitter to the pretty colors through which the light gleams. A shade decorated in this way is shown at the right of the two pictured. At the left a foundation of plain paper is covered with ruffles of crepe paper in two alternating colors. In this case white and green, and has daisies made of paper set about it.

Oil Cloth Table Sets



No housewife will fail to enjoy the new table sets of oilcloth with their cheerful borders of gay flowers and fruits. They are much handsomer than the stenciled pieces and many women use them for the dinner as well as the breakfast table. These sets consist of a centerpiece, plate doilies and smaller doilies. The fruits and flowers in the set pictured are in their natural colors and the oilcloth in a deep cream color.

Smith College Fudge

Melt one-quarter cupful butter. Mix together in a separate bowl one cupful each white and brown sugar, a quarter cupful molasses and one-half cupful cream. Add to the melted butter and bring to a boil. Cook three minutes, stirring quickly. Add two squares chocolate, grated; cook five minutes, stirring rapidly at first, but decreasing toward the end. Take from the fire, add a teaspoonful and a half vanilla,

Fadeless Flowers



Flowers made of petals cut from paper tape and coated with colored sealing wax, are among the novelties that add to the cheerfulness of home and Christmas this year. A cluster of them in several different colors, in a vase that is also coated with the wax, makes a very pleasing bouquet for the living room or dining table. The colored wax is a substitute for paint and a small alcohol flame becomes the brush for making the fadeless blossoms.

A Decorative Pen



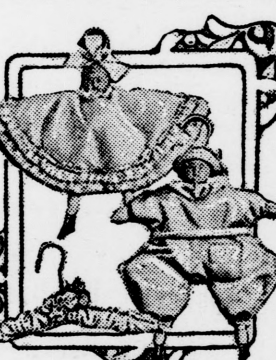
For the writing desk or as a companion piece to the guest book, a pen with a feather quill for a handle makes a beautiful gift. Natural feathers are as marvelous and beautiful in their markings as flowers and those in neutral colors can be tinted if one wishes to brighten them. Many kinds of feathers, including those of the ostrich, are used for these decorative pens and they make a gift suited to every grown-up.

Santa Remembers Baby



Santa Claus never forgets the babies and each year presents their little belongings made in new and pretty ways. This year "nightingales" and bonnets seem even better than their predecessors. A set to match is shown above, made of fine flannel and trimmed with narrow satin ribbon gathered along one edge and feather-stitched down. A frill of narrow lace finishes the cap.

For Little Garments



Hangers for wee garments make a lovely gift for young children, especially when they look like dolls. Here two are dressed up to represent a girl and a boy doll and a third is simply covered with ribbon and decorated with ribbon flowers. Little celluloid doll heads, wide and narrow satin ribbon and wire hangers with a little ingenious sewing are all that is needed for the doll hangers.

then stir constantly until thickened. Pour in a buttered pan and set in a cold place.

Making Baby's Bonnet. In making baby bonnets do not attach the strings to the bonnet, but, instead, make buttonholes at the ends to be attached, then sew a small flat button on each side of the cap underneath, where the "strings" become, so they can be easily removed and laundered, making it unnecessary to wash the entire cap.

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WHY not make your appeal for patronage through the columns of this newspaper? With every issue it carries its message into the homes of all the best people of this community. Don't blame the people for flocking to the store of your competitor. Tell them what you have to sell and if your prices are right you can get the business.

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YOU can get them by advertising in this paper. It reaches the best class of people in this community.
Use this paper if you want some of their business.

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Never say "Aspirin" without saying "Bayer."

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Handy tin boxes of 12 tablets—Bottles of 24 and 100—All druggists.
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Spohn's Distemper Compound

With the approach of winter horses are again more liable to contract contagious diseases—DISTEMPER, INFLUENZA, COUGHS AND COLDS. As a preventive against these, an occasional dose of "SPHOHN'S" is marvellously effective. As a remedy for cases already suffering, "SPHOHN'S" is equally effective. Give it as a preventive. Don't wait. 60 cents and \$1.25 per bottle at drug stores. SPHOHN MEDICAL COMPANY GOSHEN, INDIANA

AFTER THE FOOTBALL GAMES

Man Who Had Been There Knew There Would Be Only One Distinctive College Color.

They were talking of their absent sons, and the fact that each of the fathers had a boy in a different college did not prevent them from amicably discussing their prospects.

"It won't be long," said one of the fathers, "before the athletic season opens, and then I think I'll hear something from the Orange and Blue."

"Yes," said another, "and there'll be some shouting done by the Blue and Gray."

"Of course," said the third father, "and as my boy has gone to Princeton, I'll have to put in a word for the Black and Orange; but it doesn't make such a great deal of difference. The boys are bound to come under the same colors in the end."

"No," said one.

"Oh, yes, it can!"

"To which colors do you refer?"

"Black and Blue."—Philadelphia Ledger.

He Was Insured.

The engine of a passenger train broke down midway between two stations, and, as the express was expected, the passengers were allowed to get out of the cars, as an accident seemed inevitable.

Everybody jumped out, with the exception of one old man.

The other passengers thought he must be mad, but he waved an insurance ticket in their faces and cried:

"Ha, ha! I'm not so simple! A nice thing for the company to see me with an insurance ticket and then expect me to run away at the first sign of trouble! I shall stay here, and if the company has to pay up, that's their lookout, not mine!"—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

Tainted Money.

Newell Dwight Hillis, the eloquent pastor of Brooklyn's famous old Plymouth church, said at a dinner:

"Suppose a man's income is \$200,000 a year—what's the principal?"

"A man with an income like that ain't got no principle," the little boy answered. "He's a profiteer!"

The Materialist.

"What would you suggest for our literary club to read?" asked Mrs. Flubdub.

"A good cook-book," responded her brutal husband.

The avarice of the miser may be termed the grand sepulchre of all his other passions.

This little bit of advice may help you regain your Health, Strength and Vitality

Thousands of people suffer from nervousness. They are run down and miserable without knowing the reason why.

They do not stop to think that much of their trouble may be caused by drinking tea and coffee which contain the drugs, thein and caffeine. When you over-stimulate the system for any period of time, the result may be nervousness with its many accompanying ills. You may fail to sleep properly and your sleep does not refresh you as it should.

Postum, made from scientifically roasted cereals, will help you to overcome all these conditions. For it contains only healthful substances, instead of drugs, as are found in tea and coffee.

Postum helps build sound nerve structure, by letting you get sound, restful sleep.

In flavor, Postum is much like high-grade coffee. In fact there are many people who prefer Postum for its savory flavor alone.

Order Postum from your grocer today. Serve this rich, fragrant beverage for the family. See how the children will like it, and how much better every body will sleep at night.

Postum comes in two forms: Instant Postum (in tin) made instantly in the cup by the addition of boiling water. Postum Cereal (in packages of larger bulk, for those who prefer to make the drink while the meal is being prepared) made by boiling for 20 minutes.

Postum for Health
"There's a Reason"

COMMERCIAL

Weekly Review of Trade and Market Reports.

BALTIMORE.—Wheat—No. 2 winter, spot, \$1.09; No. 1 garlicky, spot, \$1.04½; November, \$1.04½; December, 1.06½.

Corn—Track yellow corn, No. 2 or better, for domestic delivery, quotable at 62¢64¢ per bu., for carlots on spot. Offerings of No. 2 yellow corn are light.

Cob corn is quotable at about \$2.40 @2.50 per bu., for carloads prime nearby yellow on spot.

Oats—No. 2 white, as to weight, 44½¢ asked; No. 3 white, as to weight, 41½¢.

Rye—No. 2 western, export, spot, per bus., \$2¼¢; bag lots, nearby rye, as to quality, per bu. 80¢85¢.

Hay—Sixteen dollars to \$21 per ton for good timothy and light mixed hay. Straw—No. 1 tangled rye per ton, \$15.50; No. 1 wheat, \$13; No. 1 oat (nominal), \$14.50@15.

Butter—Creamery, choice, 48¢49¢; do, choice, 45¢47¢; do, good, 42¢43¢; do, prints, 40¢50¢; do, blocks, 40¢48¢; do, nearby, 42¢44¢; ladies, 30¢32¢; Md. and Penn. rolls, 28¢30¢; Ohio rolls, 27¢28¢; West Virginia rolls, 27¢28¢; storepacked, 26¢27¢; Md., Va. and Penn. dairy prints, 28¢30¢.

Eggs—Western Maryland, Pennsylvania, nearby, firsts, 55¢56¢; Eastern Shore, Maryland and Virginia, 55¢; Western, 54¢55¢; West Virginia, 54¢; Southern, 54¢.

Live Poultry—Chickens, old hens 4½ lbs. and over, per lb., 24¢25¢; medium, 3 to 4 lbs., 22¢23¢; smaller, 20¢21¢; white leghorns, 20¢21¢; old roosters, 15¢16¢; springers, large, 24¢25¢; small to medium, 24¢25¢; white leghorns, 22¢23¢; rough, poor and thin, 20¢.

Ducks, young, pickings, 3¼ lbs. and over, 26¢27¢; puddle, 24¢25¢; muscovy, 21¢22¢; smaller and poor, 20¢21¢. Geese, nearby, 25¢30¢; Western, 25¢26¢. Pigeons, young, per pr., 35¢40¢; old, per pr., 35¢40¢. Turkeys, young, 8 lbs. and over, per lb., 36¢37¢; smaller, 30¢32¢; old, 35¢36¢.

Potatoes—West. Md. and Penna., No. 1, per 100 lbs., \$1.90@2.15; New York and New Jersey, No. 1, per 100 lbs., \$1.90@2.15; native or nearby, No. 1, per 100 lbs., \$1.90@2.15; Eastern Shore, Maryland and Virginia cobbles, per 100 lbs., \$1.90@2.15; Maryland and Virginia McCormicks, per 100 lbs., \$1.75@1.90; all sections, No. 2, per 100 lbs., 75¢@81¢; all sections, long per 150-lb. bag, \$2.75@3; round, per 150-lb. bag, \$3.25@3.50; long and round, No. 2, \$1.50@2. Sweet, new, N. C. No. 1, per bu., \$2.50@2.75; E. S. Va. No. 1, per bu., \$2.50@2.75; native or nearby, per bu., \$3.25@3.50; Rapp, No. 1, per bu., \$2.50@2.75; all sections culls to No. 2, \$1.25@1.75; native, per 4-8 bkt., 50¢70¢; yams, all sections per bu., \$2.50@3.50; sweets and yams per bu., hamper, 75¢@81¢.

NEW YORK.—Wheat—No. 2 red \$1.11; No. 2 hard, \$1.10; No. 1 Manitoba, \$1.11½, and No. 2 mixed durum, 97¢, c. i. f. track, New York, to arrive.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, 63½¢; No. 2 white, 64½¢; and No. 2 mixed, 63¢, c. i. f., New York, lake and rail.

Oats—No. 2 white, 45¢.

Hay—No. 1, \$23@31; No. 2, \$27@29; No. 3, \$25@27; shipping, \$23@25.

Butter—Creamery, higher than extras, 47¢47½¢; do, do (92 score) 46½¢; do, firsts (88 to 91 score), 38¢45¢; packing stock, current make No. 2, 29¢30¢.

Eggs—Fresh gathered, extra firsts 58¢62¢; do, firsts, 52¢56¢; New Jersey henry white, extra firsts, fancy, candied selections, 95¢; nearby and nearby Western henry whites, firsts to average extras, 75¢90¢; do, browns extras, 68¢72¢; nearby gathered browns and mixed colors, firsts to extras, 52¢65¢; refrigerator, special marks, fancy, 38¢39¢; do, firsts, 35¢37¢.

Cheese—State, whole milk, flats fresh, specials, 22¼¢23¼¢; do, average run, 22¢; State, whole milk, twins specials, 22¼¢; do, average run, 22¢.

Live Poultry—Chickens, 23¢25¢; fowls, 15¢26¢; roosters, 15¢; turkeys 32¢; dressed poultry firm; Western chickens, 27¢38¢; fowls, 20¢28¢; old roosters, 17¢23¢; turkeys, 30¢45¢.

PHILADELPHIA.—Corn—No. 2 yellow, 63½¢64¢.

Oats—No. 2 white, 43¢43½¢; No. 3 white, 41½¢42¢.

Wheat—No. 2 red winter, 97¢1.12; do, garlicky, \$1.01@1.10.

Hay—Timothy No. 2, \$20@22; do No. 3, \$12@19; sample, \$14@16; no grade, \$12@14; clover mixed hay light mixed, \$19.50@20; No. 1 mixed \$18@19.

Butter—Western creamery, extra 48¢; nearby prints, fancy, 60¢62¢.

Eggs—Nearby extra firsts, 61¢; do firsts, 60¢; Western extra firsts 61¢; do firsts, 57¢60¢; fancy selected packed 73¢79¢.

LIVE STOCK

BALTIMORE.—Calves—Veal choice per lb., by express, 12¼¢13¢; by boat 12¢12½¢; choice heavy fat veals, do 9¢10¢; fair to good, do 8¢10¢; heavy and rough, do 5¢6¢; rough, common thin, per head, 40¢5.

Lambs and Sheep—No. 1 sheep, per lb., 3¢4¢; common, 1¼¢2¢; old bucks 2¼¢3¢; spring lambs, choice, per lb. 8¼¢9¢; fair to good, 7¢7½¢; common thin, 4¢5.

Hogs—Straight, per lb., 8¢9¢; sows as to quality, 6¢7¢; stage and bows 4¢5¢; live pigs, as to size and quality, 10¢12¢; shoats, as to size and quality, 8¢10.

Beef Cattle—First quality, per lb., 7¢8¢; medium, 5¢6¢; bulls, as to quality, 4¢6¢; cows, choice to fancy, 5¢6¢; oxen, as to quality, 4¢6¢; milch cows, choice to fancy, per head, \$50@75; common to fair, per head, \$30@40.

NEW YORK.—Cattle—Steers, \$4@7.90; bulls, \$3@5; cows, \$1@4.25; heifers, \$3.50@5.75.

DAIRY

LEGUMINOUS HAYS FOR COWS

Corn Silage is Excellent Feed, but Not a Balanced One—Legumes Furnish Protein.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

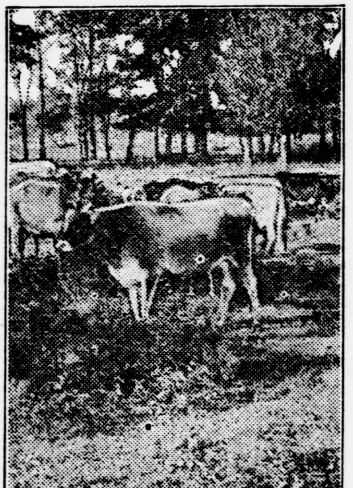
The best kinds of dry roughage for feeding dairy cows in connection with corn silage or roots are leguminous hays, such as alfalfa, red, crimson, or alsike clover, and soy bean or cowpea hay, in the opinion of experts of the United States Department of Agriculture. While corn silage is an excellent feed, it is not a balanced one, as it does not contain sufficient protein and mineral matter to meet fully the requirements of the cow. The leguminous hays, in addition to being very palatable, tend to correct this deficiency. They are also among the best and cheapest sources of protein.

One or more of these hays can be grown on practically any farm. In addition to their value for feeding purposes, they improve the soil in which they grow. Hay from Canada field peas, sown with oats to prevent the peas from lodging, also makes an excellent roughage.

Corn stover, sorghum, etc., also find a good market through the dairy cow. This class of roughage is low in protein, however, and when it is used the grain ration must be richer in this element.

No positive rule can be laid down as to the quantity of dry roughage that should be fed, but from 6 to 12 pounds a day for each cow, in addition to silage, will be found satisfactory in most cases.

When the dry roughage is of poor quality, such as coarse, woody hay or a poor grade of cornstalks, a large portion can often be given to advantage, allowing the cow to pick out the best and using the rejected part for bedding. With this quantity of dry roughage the cow will take, according to



One of Most Economical Feeds for Dairy Cows is Pasture.

her size, from 25 to 50 pounds of silage. This may be considered as a guide for feeding, to apply when the roughage is grown on the farm. When everything has to be purchased, it is often more economical to limit the quantity of roughage fed and increase the grain ration.

RUNTY ANIMAL UNPROFITABLE

Underfed and Underdeveloped Animals Usually Caused by Improper Care and Poor Feed.

Niggardly methods of feeding and caring for farm live stock are unprofitable. This is one conclusion resulting from an inquiry conducted by the United States Department of Agriculture into the causes and prevention of runtliness among farm animals. Seventy-five per cent of under-sized and underdeveloped animals, according to a summary of more than 700 opinions advanced by live-stock owners, are due to inferior breeding, inadequate or unsuitable feed, and pests, such as parasites and insects.

The remedy is the better care of better stock, and the cost of this remedy, in the opinion of practical farmers, is much cheaper than the expense of continuing to raise under-sized and slow-maturing domestic animals. "Better raise one good cow than two poor ones—a runt is nothing but expense all its life." This opinion, which is typical of many others, is from a Michigan dairyman. A thrifty New Englander sums up sentiment on this topic with the remark, "I find I cannot cheat the animal without cheating myself."

HIGH-PRODUCING DAIRY COWS

To Increase Productiveness of Herd It Is Necessary to Begin With Individuals.

Increasing the productiveness of a dairy herd through selection must begin with the individual as a unit. Cows with the best performance records are mated to a bull backed by a line of high-producing ancestors. Even this will not guarantee offspring equal to their parents in productiveness, since the law of chance operates to make results uncertain. However, the average will be as good as their parents' and some will exceed their dam's record. The best producers are further bred for further improvement.

Late Pasturing Poor Policy.

Late pasturing is poor policy, first, so far as the cows are concerned and second, because of its detrimental effect on the pastures.

Alfalfa is Best for Cows. Alfalfa yields, under proper conditions, twice as much hay per acre as timothy. Alfalfa leaves cows in better condition.

Milk Check Saves the Day. The monthly milk check is saving the day on a lot of farms.

To Revive a Fire.

Dry orange and lemon peel make splendid fire revivers. Dried peel is especially good for bringing a dull fire to life in a sick room, where the crackling of a few sticks may awake the patient from whose sleep is necessary. All peel should be collected and dried in an oven that is cooling off after cooking. Then the peel should be stored in a tin or old string bag until it is required.

Poe's Perception of Form.

Poe lacked deep convictions of any kind, profound human experience, genuineness, and wealth of nature. His art is correspondingly superficial and artificial. Nevertheless, his work is sure to live because of its perfection of form. He is a masterly technician—the first of the decadents—the forerunner of the practitioners of art for art's sake.—Lewis Edwards Gates.

Plutarch is "Safe."

It must be a relief to Plutarch, wherever he may be, to know that, quite apart from hearsay and anecdote, many of the documents he used have been lost beyond recovery, so that he can no longer be checked up at all points by the scientific historians of the present age.—Wilbur Cross in the Yale Review.

Overcoats in China.

Ulster overcoats have become popular with the Chinese in Manchuria. The wealthier class of Chinese always wear long outer garments of silk, which are easily damaged by rain or snow, and the long ulster, besides affording warmth, protects the silk clothing underneath.—Indianapolis News.

FLORIDA BY SEA TO JACKSONVILLE

One Way \$30.95 War tax \$5¢ additional Round Trip \$55.73

Meals and Stateroom Accommodations on Steamer Included. Small extra charge for promenade deck rooms. Steamer Every Tuesday and Friday. Make Reservations Early.

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BALTIMORE

PATTERNS and Complete Instructions for making CLOVER WORKING GLOVES for the whole family on the home sewing machine. Use discarded apparel. \$25, postpaid. F. D. Parks, 1239 W. Wayne St., Lima, O.

Reliable Agents wanted to sell guaranteed Good Year Raincoats direct from factory. Sample Garboline coat and outfit, \$5, collect. Mr. Carter, 544 Main St., Springfield, Mass.

No Poser.

"How long have you been indisposed, my poor fellow?" asked a fair visitor at a hospital of a big negro who was strapped up in bed with an injured back.

"Dis ain't no pose 'tall, miss," answered the patient in tones of disgust. "Dis am merely de careless manner in which dem forgetful doctors went away and lef me yestiddy."

WHY DRUGGISTS RECOMMEND SWAMP-ROOT

For many years druggists have watched with much interest the remarkable record maintained by Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder medicine.

It is a physician's prescription. Swamp-Root is a strengthening medicine. It helps the kidneys, liver and bladder to do the work nature intended they should do.

Swamp-Root has stood the test of years. It is sold by all druggists on its merit and it should help you. No other kidney medicine has so many friends.

Be sure to get Swamp-Root and start treatment at once. However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.—Advertisement.

Those Dear Girls.

Betty—"Jack says I am the first girl he ever kissed." Marie—"I've known him to lie about other things, too."

Shave With Cuticura Soap

And double your razor efficiency as well as promote skin purity, skin comfort and skin health. No mug, no slimy soap, no germs, no waste, no irritation even when shaved twice daily. One soap for all uses—shaving, bathing and shampooing. Advertisement.

Happiness is a pearl of great price which may sometimes be bought for a mite.

Have You Catarrh?

A Maryland Woman Advises You

Hampstead, Md.—"I have derived more benefit from Dr. Pierce's remedies than any I have used. I especially wish to recommend Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, as they cured me entirely of a bad case of catarrh and sore throat over fifteen years ago. As for the 'Favorite Prescription,' it has been of the greatest help for feminine troubles."—Mrs. Mary Buchanan, R. D. 1, Box 56.

You should obtain Dr. Pierce's remedies for your complaints at your neighborhood drug store. Write Dr. Pierce, Pres. Invalids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for free medical advice.

KEEP HALE'S HONEY OF HOREHOUND AND TAR

In the house. Don't let colds become influenza, pneumonia or other serious ailments. Use the dependable home remedy that quickly relieves coughing, soreness, sore throat, etc.; contains nothing harmful. 30¢ at all druggists.

DROPSY TREATED ONE WEEK FREE

WEAK BLOOD IS A REAL BARRIER

Growing Children Often Need Gude's Pepto-Mangan.

Some children grow too quickly—it saps their strength. They lapse into careless, desultory habits, or develop a shrinking attitude. Their faces look pinched.

The blood becomes overtaken by too rapid growth; and poisons from the system take the place of strength-giving red corpuscles in the blood. Red corpuscles are those little red particles that swim in blood and give it its color. Gradually that child loses interest in its play.

Poor blood needs the building that the iron in Gude's Pepto-Mangan gives to weakened blood. Gude's Pepto-Mangan enriches the blood by increasing the number of red corpuscles, and restores the blood by driving out the poisons. When the revived blood gets to work, the appetite becomes what a growing child's should be. Your druggist has Gude's Pepto-Mangan in liquid or tablet form. The name "Gude's Pepto-Mangan" is on every package. Advertisement.

A Student's Wish.

"History repeats itself."

"Well, I wish arithmetic would sum itself up."



SAPOLIO

Finds countless uses in the kitchen. It cleans cutlery, kettles, tins, porcelain, china, earthenware, linoleum, oil-cloth, refrigerators, tile, marble, shelves and floors. See that the name SAPOLIO is on every package.

ENOCH MORGAN'S SONS CO.
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MAKES POTS AND PANS LOOK LIKE NEW

FRANCES E. WILLARD MUSEUM

Little Schoolhouse Near Janesville, Wis., Dedicated to Memory of Great Temperance Leader.

Log cabins and marble palaces, courthouses and round towers are now and again turned into museums in the memory of some historic person. More rarely the building is a schoolhouse, but such is the case with the new Frances E. Willard museum. The little country schoolhouse near Janesville, Wis., has recently been dedicated by followers of the American temperance leader, among them former pupils of Miss Willard's in Wesleyan seminary and at Northwestern university, and national officers of the Woman's Christian Temperance union. The schoolhouse is far from imposing. Miss Willard referred to it once as "a sort of big ground-nut," but it symbolizes the progress of a child who came into a wilderness with her pioneer family, and through her good work gained a place for herself in the Hall of Fame at Washington, the only woman so honored.

How Could She Help It?

"How did this vase get broken, Mary?"

"It fell off the pedestal, ma'am."

"How did you upset the pedestal?"

"I never touched it. The chair bumped into it, ma'am."

"And did you push the chair?"

"I did not, ma'am. It was the table do that. All I did was to push the sofa up against the table. An' goodness knows I can't see what's a goin' to happen that far off!"

Real happiness is cheap enough, yet how dearly we pay for its counterfeit.

If the shoe fits, wear it—unless you are a woman; then, of course, you will want a size or two smaller.

HERE'S GENUINE NEW YORKER

You Can Always Tell Him—He Knows His Home City Like the Proverbial Book.

The man who was born in New York and had lived there all his days gave a satisfied chuckle. "Yes, I know the old town as few know it. It's going to be a great pleasure for me to take you around, old man. This, of course, is Grant's tomb. Ha, ha!"

The westerner looked his surprise. "I laugh because it's so commonplace—so shopworn, so to speak. But while you're my guest you shall see nothing from the usual to the most uncommon . . . by George."

"What is it?"

"Look—that big purple machine, with all the people. Looks like a delegation of visiting Elks . . . or . . . it can't be a new Fifth avenue stage. They don't build them so big . . . what in the name of time can such a big, clumsy—"

THE UNKNOWN SOLDIER

SELECTED BY REV. E. W. CASWELL

HONORS TO SOLDIERS

O brave young faces, battle worn!
O laughing lips, now grave-eyed men!
So great a burden have ye borne
Life cannot be the same again!
Thought of that land beyond the seas
Shall color all your memories!

Ever beside your feet shall march
The steadfast step of comrades gone.
Or ye shall see, in heaven's clear arch,
Their ships still circling 'gainst the dawn!

Ye pray, "God keep us free from stain,
That these shall not have died in vain."
They are not dead, who gave their all
To save a world in bitter strife;
To our faint hearts we hear them call
Their message of victorious life:
"Fear not that path of service long,
We followed, steadfast, to the skies."

Premier Lloyd George expressed the "profound gratitude" of the British government and people "for this striking act of homage to our valiant dead," which "will be a reminder not only to this generation but to all generations to come, that the fundamental aims of these two democracies are the same, and will be interpreted as a solemn pledge given to the valiant dead that these two mighty peoples who were comrades in the great war have resolved to remain comrades to guarantee a great peace." The British government decided to confer the Victoria Cross upon the American Unknown Soldier when his body was interred in Arlington cemetery on Armistice Day. The homage which General Pershing offered in Westminster Abbey was preceded by a similar service in Paris a few days after his arrival in France, when he placed the Congressional Medal upon the tomb of the Unknown Poilu who lies under the Arch of Triumph. As a recognition of the distinguished honor the United States has conferred upon this immortalized soldier of France, a group of military decorations was conferred upon the American Unknown Soldier. The decoration of the Legion of Honor was placed upon the casket at Havre before it was taken aboard the U. S. S. Olympia for transportation to this country, and at the burial at Arlington Cemetery Marshal Foch added to this distinction the Medaille Militaire and the Croix de Guerre.

HEROES

Mother Earth, are the heroes dead?
Do they thrill the soul of the years no more?
Are the gleaming snows and the poppies red
All that is left of the brave of yore?
Are there none to fight as Theseus fought,
Far in the young world's misty dawn?
Or teach as gray-haired Nestor taught?
Mother Earth, are the heroes gone?

Gone? In a grander form they rise.
Ours? We may clasp their hands in death.
And catch the light of their clearer eyes,
And breathe their brows with immortal flowers.

'Tis the pulse of a hero's heart is stirred;
Wherever right has a triumph won,
There are the heroes' voices heard.
Their armor rings on a fairer field
Than the Greek and the Trojan fiercely trod;

For freedom's sword is the blade they wield,
And the gleam above is the smile of God.
So in his isle of calm delight,
Jason may sleep the years away;
For the heroes live, and the sky is bright.

And the world is a braver world to-day.
—Edna Dean Proctor.

The Unknown Soldier is revered, not because he is unknown—though certainly the element of mystery surrounds the grave with a certain glamor—but because in his person is recognized the part which the private soldier played in the Great War. He bore the brunt of the working and the fighting, but for him there can be no individual fame. A few won commissions and medals, but the millions simply did their duty and died, without expecting or receiving recognition or reward. In their behalf the Unknown Dead wears the Medal of Honor and the Victoria Cross.

—Christian Advocate.

WHAT SCARS?
If Thou, my Christ, to-day
Should'st speak to me and say:
What battles hast thou fought for me?
Show me Thy scars! I fain would see
Love's depth of victory.

If Thou should'st speak, my Christ;
My leader and my King;
And bid me lay my wounds in sight,
The scars borne just for Thee in fight,
What love-scars could I bring?

GIVE THE BEST YOU HAVE
There are loyal hearts, there are spirits brave,
There are souls that are pure and true;
Then give to the world the best you have
And the best will come back to you.

Give love, and love to your life will flow,
A strength in your utmost need:
Have faith, and a score of hearts will show
Their faith in your word and deed.

Give truth, and your gifts will be paid in kind,
And honor will honor meet:
And a smile that is sweet will surely find
A smile that is just as sweet.

Give pity and sorrow to those who mourn,
You will gather in flowers again:
The scattered seeds from your thought outborne,
Though the sowing seemed but in vain.

For life is the mirror of king and slave.
'Tis just what we are and do;
Then give to the world the best that you have
And the best will come back to you.

—Madeline S. Bridges.

TO THE BROTHERHOOD
Rise up, O men of God!
Have done with lesser things,
Give heart and soul and mind and strength
To serve the King of kings.

Rise up, O men of God!
His kingdom tarries long.
Bring in the day of brotherhood
And end the night of wrong.

Rise up, O men of God!
The church for you doth wait,
Her strength unequal to her task.
Rise up, and make her great!

Lift high the cross of Christ!
Tread where his feet have trod!
As brothers of the Son of man
Rise up, O men of God!

—Doctor Nevill.

New and Old Wheat wanted on order.
—James L. Sherrard.

HELP THE RED CROSS

Help for the disabled fighting men and their families was the chief activity of the American Red Cross in Pennsylvania and Delaware, during the last year, the 108 chapters of the organization in that territory rendering service of many sorts to 426,630 of these heroes and those dependent on them, the actual financial aid totaling \$466,837.

This is the outstanding feature of a report on the year's work, made public at Atlantic Division headquarters, which also states that the number of disabled men needing such service is increasing at a rate which makes imperative a greater response to the year's Red Cross roll call, November 11-24, if the important work is to be continued. Throughout the nation the Red Cross is spending annually on this service to the disabled men, about \$10,000,000, four million dollars more than was realized in the 1920 membership campaign.

Services to the disabled men in these States, as in other parts of the country, consisted in helping them with compensation, insurance, medical, allotment and vocational training school claims which they have against the government, advising them on home problems, and in emergency cases loaning money to them and their families. Red Cross workers have an active part in the "clean-up" campaign of the U. S. Veterans' Bureau, which is designed to reach every ex-service person with a claim against the government. For the several thousand men still in the hospitals of the State the Red Cross provided cigarettes, knitted articles and recreation of various kinds. While the organization's chief work has been with the men incapacitated in service the able-bodied men in the army, navy and marine corps have also been helped by the Red Cross, this service being maintained with our fighting forces, at the request of the federal government.

Second only to its work with the soldiers was the organization's nursing activities in Pennsylvania and Delaware. One hundred and thirty-one public health nurses are now on duty in the former State and four in the latter. Sometimes on foot, sometimes on horseback, more often in the trusty "flivver," these angels of health carry the message of disease-prevention and health-promotion into all parts of the countryside. In all weathers they may be found on duty in rural communities scattered farms, mining or lumber camps. Another feature of the nursing work has been the 470 classes in home nursing and care of the sick, conducted by fifty-two chapters in Pennsylvania and the thirty-two classes conducted by the Delaware State Chapter. In the former State 6,685 students have been graduated and in the latter 322, making a substantial contribution to the number of women who are now qualified to look after minor illnesses in their own families and who are to be relied upon in case an epidemic strikes their community. Forty-two Red Cross health centers in Pennsylvania are now in operation, holding clinics and distributing health information to thousands of citizens.

The Junior Red Cross continues to make great gains in these States. There are now 32,409 children in Delaware and 693,794 children in Pennsylvania, representing 3,941 schools, enrolled in the organization. These boys and girls are pledged to a program of service for their brothers and sisters at home and abroad.

The Pennsylvania youngsters produced 1,811 garments and 22 layettes for overseas use and 365 garments and 10 layettes for local use. They made 3,362 toys for local use and 200 for overseas. Children of the Southeastern (Philadelphia) Chapter spent \$4,000 for nutrition work in various schools; children in 45 other chapters in Pennsylvania financed adenoid and tonsil clinics, 19 bought eyeglasses for needy children and three chapters together supported 18 French war orphans.

YACHT FOR A. I. DUPONT

Alfred I. duPont has placed an order with the American Car and Foundry Co. for the construction, at the Jackson & Sharp plant, Wilmington, Del., of a seagoing Diesel motored yacht. It is to be built at once and it is expected that it will be completed within 90 days. One of the objects in placing the order now, Mr. duPont said recently, when asked about the matter, was to help in the present unemployment situation. The plans were prepared by Edward R. Carroll, naval engineer, of Fairview Camden, N. J., under Mr. duPont's direction, and they call for the largest size yacht that can successfully navigate all our canals and waterways, while big keels and high bulwarks give promise of a dry and comfortable boat at sea. All the staterooms for owner and guests are on the upper deck, something of which no other yacht yet designed, it is said, can boast. The construction is to be of the finest. A steel keel, white oak frames, with steel strapping, insure long life and the sturdiness to endure the mishaps which may be expected exploring the lesser known waters while the white pine decks and teak deck house will make her one of the most handsome of the long list of notable yachts that have been built in Wilmington.

In appearance the new boat will be of the naval type, so popular with yachtsmen. Her engines were personally selected and tested by Mr. duPont, and are of the full Diesel type embodying all the modern developments of their use in submarines and other naval craft during the war. She will have twin screws. Aside from the engines, there will be many noteworthy and ingenious features testifying to the engineering skill of her owner.

An electric capstan, electric boat hoist and electric refrigerating apparatus are features that help make her the most complete equipped yacht of her size yet built.

When Mr. duPont was asked whether he contemplated disposing of his yacht Alicia, he said he did not.

Thomas Meighan in "The Easy Road," at the movies Monday evening.

WARWICK

Charles Cole, wife and children spent last Saturday in Wilmington.
C. W. Pierce and family spent one day last week at Wilmington.

Howard Padley and wife, of near Middletown, were visitors in town Tuesday.
D. Cannon and wife, of Philadelphia, have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary A. Lofland.

Harry Manlove, of Smyrna, was a Sunday visitor at the home of his mother, Mrs. B. Hall.
Alday Bishop, of Wilmington, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Cora Bishop and family.

Sunday School Sunday morning at 9:30; preaching at 10:30; Christian Endeavor at 7 P. M. Everybody welcome.

The ladies of the "Aid" are making preparations for their supper to be held in the hall next Wednesday and Thursday evenings, Nov. 16th and 17th.

Mrs. Hampton Johns was a recent visitor to "myrna, singing at the Century Club there and assisting the club in their musical numbers at the Reciprocity meeting at Delaware City.

Meetings of the Boys' and Girls' Clubs were held at the school Monday afternoon, under the leadership of County Agent A. D. Radebaugh, and Home Demonstration Agent Miss Elizabeth Hodgson.

Those from town winning prizes at the Elkton Fair were: Mrs. Harry Harris, first prize for tanning; Miss Kathryn Thornton, two first prizes and three second prizes for sewing and fancy work; William Boyles, first and Hanson Cochran, second prize for potatoes grown this year.

TOWNSEND

D. P. Hutchison spent Tuesday in Wilmington.
The Ushers Union is rehearsing for an entertainment to take place soon.

Oscar Humes, of Wildwood, N. J., was a recent guest of James H. Garton.
Miss Maud Bramble has returned home from a visit to Wilmington relatives.

Elwood Rheims and wife, of Bear Station, visited her sister, Mrs. J. Douglas Conner, recently.
Mrs. Mary Palmer, of Wilmington, is spending this week with her brother, Robert Beardsley and family.

Frank Lattomus and wife and John Williams, wife and son, of Wilmington, spent Sunday with William Bramble and family.

Mrs. Elva E. Hart and assistants, Mrs. Joseph Pritchard, Mrs. Bertha Daniels, Mrs. Charlie Jones and Miss Lydia Deakney entertained the Ladies' Aid Society at the former's home, Tuesday evening.

The Ladies' Aid Society will hold an oyster and poultry supper in the auditorium Wednesday and Thursday evenings, Nov. 16th and 17th. Supper served at five o'clock. Ice cream and cake also for sale.

SUMMIT BRIDGE

H. K. Thompson and wife spent Monday in Philadelphia.
A. P. Jones and wife, of Wilmington, spent Tuesday with Frank Kronemier and wife.

Mrs. John Montgomery, of New Castle, is spending sometime with her sister, Mrs. E. R. Marker.

F. Marion Thompson, of Wilmington, spent the week-end with his parents, W. B. Thompson and wife.

Mrs. James Hallman and grandson, Paul Hallman, of New Castle, have been spending sometime with Mrs. Harvey Jewell.

Mrs. Harvey Jewell and Mrs. Fred Bramble, of Elkton, Md., spent part of last week with her sister, Mrs. Philip Gallagher, in Philadelphia.

DELAWARE A UNIVERSITY

While Delaware College by legislative enactment as far as the state of Delaware is concerned became a University some months ago, admittance of the university this week to membership in the National Association of State Universities, places the local institution on an equal footing with the great state universities throughout the country.

This action admitting Delaware into the ranks of other state universities was taken at a meeting of the presidents of the universities belonging to the National Association of State Universities held at New Orleans. A telegram from Dr. Walter Hüllihen, president of the University of Delaware, who is attending the New Orleans convention announced the favorable action relative to Delaware.

This action in admitting Delaware to the referred-to association cannot be underestimated. It gives the institution an official standing among other institutions which could not be secured in any other way. As a matter of fact it places Delaware on an equal footing as a state university with such great universities as Illinois, Michigan, Minnesota, etc.

In order to obtain this standing a university must comply with the general standards required by the Carnegie Foundation. This Delaware has been doing for some time.

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MEDALS OFFERED

The Delaware Bankers' Association is offering four silver medals and one gold medal for championship and sweepstakes exhibits of corn shown at the Delaware State Corn Show to be held at Seaford January 3-5, 1922. The above plan of co-operation with the Delaware Corn Growers' Association was announced by William G. Taylor, President of the Bankers' Association, after being unanimously approved by the Executive Committee. These medals will supplement the \$500 cash prizes appropriated by the State for premiums in the various classes of corn exhibits. The Bankers' Association appreciates the work of corn improvement brought about by the Corn Growers' Association and is using this means to create greater interest and keener competition on the part of the growers and exhibitors of Delaware's greatest crop. The medals will be awarded as follows:

For the best 50 ears of corn from the State—Silver Medal.

For the best 20 ears of corn from the State—Silver Medal.

For the best single ear of corn from the State—Silver Medal.

For the best 10 ears of corn exhibited by Boys' Corn Club Members—Silver Medal.

For the best 10 ears of corn from the State—Gold Medal.

The silver medals are of the best sterling silver and the gold medal is solid gold.

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Work and Wear Clothes for Men at Bargain Prices; Suits, Overcoats, Odd Trousers, Corsets, Overalls, Work Shirts, Heavy Underwear, all at one quarter less than regular price.

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You are invited to attend the demonstration of the Great Majestic Range to be given at the store of J. P. McWhorter & Son by the Majestic Range Co., from Nov. 21st to 25th. With each Majestic sold during this demonstration the company will give free one \$12 set of cooking ware.

Thanksgiving AT FOGEL'S

TEN more shopping days before Thanksgiving! We are prepared with a full line of Clothing, Footwear, etc. of every description for Ladies, Gentlemen and Children, in quality of fabric and make-up—first-class; in style—the very latest; in price—to suit every purse.

We are happy to be able thus to furnish the means for our patrons to gratify their Holiday tastes by fitting themselves out with all they need to make the Thanksgiving Day every way enjoyable, and we cordially invite them to call at our Store for this purpose.

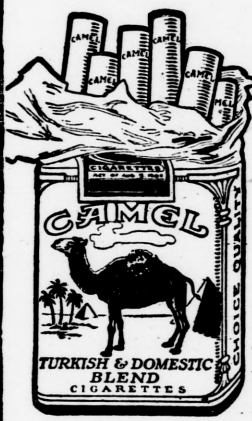
Among our many reduced articles we mention but one—LADIES' WINTER HATS—for One-half! Besides, we have a full line of Suits, Coats, Furs, Jersey Dresses, and a host of other articles that will be very welcome for the coming cold season.

We should all be very grateful to God for His many mercies to us as a Nation and as individuals. If anyone has a right to complain it is the Farmer upon whom has largely come the double misfortune of a failure of both crop and price. Yet when we contemplate the awful world-wide ruin and famine in other lands that have followed in the wake of War, our complaints should be turned into thankfulness that our lot is so much happier than that of those unfortunate peoples.

FOGEL'S Dept. Store

MIDDLETOWN, DELAWARE

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

Appoquinimink Hundred

The taxable residents of Appoquinimink Hundred, are hereby notified that the county and school taxes for the year 1921 are now due, and the undersigned Tax Collector for said Hundred, will be at his residence on SOUTH STREET, Townsend, Delaware, EVERY SATURDAY, During the Month of NOVEMBER, '21, From 1 to 6 P. M.

EXTRACT FROM THE LAWS OF DELAWARE, GOVERNING THE COLLECTION OF TAXES OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY.

Section 3.—That on all taxes paid before the first day of October there shall be an abatement of five per centum. On all taxes paid before the first day of December there shall be an abatement of three per centum. On all taxes paid during the month of December there shall be no abatement whatever. And on all taxes unpaid on the first day of January there shall be added one-half of one per centum per month until the same shall be paid.

BENJAMIN G. LOCKERMAN
Collector of Taxes for Appoquinimink Hundred

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